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A new sign appears at the front of the store of M. Ellenbogen & Bro.

Every incoming train on Monday was loaded with Normal Students.

Water has been let in the canal, and the boatmen hereabouts have reported for duty.

E. A. Rawlings killed a calf on Monday that was four weeks old, and weighed 201 pounds. Big veal, that.

In place of that *constantly tired out* feeling, Ayer's Sarsaparilla will give you strength.

Superintendant Johnston will please accept thanks for copy of State Superintendent's Report and copy of School Laws for 1892.

E. A. Rawlings has made arrangements to place fans in his meat market before the warm weather opens. They will be run by a water motor.

More tenant houses are needed in Bloomsburg. There has been a great demand for them for the past two months.

The Audit in the assigned estate of S. A. Smith, E. R. Wilson assignee, has been adjourned from April 12th to April 19th at 9 o'clock A. M.

Miss Lizzie Doak has removed to one of the Wyncoop houses on Third street, where she will continue her dress making establishment. She is in the City this week getting the latest styles in dresses

Buckalew Bros. drove four horses to their bus on Monday. The mud on Fifth street going to the Reading depot made this necessary. Part of the day they had the use of W. S. Fleckenstine's bus to accommodate their trade.

A communication from F. P. Davis of Canby was crowded out last week. He desires us to say that the allegation that W. H. Snyder or any one else had anything to do with the writing of his former communications, is false.

Will Hidlay has accepted a position as assistant in the First National Bank. He has been clerking at the Grange store for some time past. He is an excellent young man and is to be congratulated on his promotion. He is a son of Samuel Hidlay of Scott.

Rev. A Houtz will preach and hold an election for pastor in the Emanuels charge on Sunday April the 10, service to begin as follows: Strawberry Ridge at 10:30 a. m. and Heller's at 2:30 p. m. There will consequently be no service at Hidlay and Briarcreek on that day.

Among the other improvements at the property of the Episcopalians, it is likely that a concrete pavement will be laid on Main and Iron street along the full frontage. A scheme is already in progress that will result in the laying of the pavement this spring or summer,

We have received a report of the graduating exercises at the Michigan College of Medicine and Surgery, at Detroit. Among the members of the class is Perry L. Fritz, formerly of Sugarloaf township, and a son of the late J. H. Fritz. He is at present located at Cass City.

Miss Myra, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Rutter, was married to Dr. C. B. Frontz of Montgomery Station last week Thursday, by Rev. W. C. Leverett, rector of the Episcopal church, at the bride's home on Market street. Only a few intimate friends were present. The bride wore a traveling costume She was the recipient of many handsome gifts. They left in the evening for an extended tour, accompanied by the best wishes of many friends.

Rev. Father McCann, pastor of St. Columba's R. C. church, has accomplished a good work since he has been here. He is an earnest and devout shepherd of his flock, and though of a modest and retiring disposition, some of his many acts of kindness occasionally come to light. The church property has been greatly improved since he has been in charge. The sanctuary has been enriched and decorated until it is one of the finest in this section. Among other things that he has added is a large vestment case which was made by Peter Kehoe. It is a very fine piece of work.

If you've got a pain or ache or a bruise, Salvation Oil will reach the case instantly. Price 25 cents.

Attention Voters.—By resolution passed by our Legislature, all good citizens are requested to use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and recommend same as the people's remedy for coughs, colds, etc. 25 cts.

TOWN TOPICS.

George Hohman is a great shot. He went down to the river hunting for ducks one day last week, and saw a few of them placidly bobbing on the bosom of the Susquehanna. He took a deadly aim and pulled the trigger, but the birds did not fly, so he blazed away again, with the same result. When he discovered that he was shooting at Harry Eshleman's wooden decoy ducks, he came home disgusted.

The Janitor of the Opera House will confer a favor on a suffering public, if he will occasionally sweep out the dirt in the vestibule and on the steps. Most of the time the entrance is not in fit condition for ladies to pass through.

Fifth street from Market to the P. & R. depot should have some attention from the town authorities. The road is in bad condition, and in some places there is no sidewalk.

A change in some portions of the town law is needed, particularly in that portion that provides for the election of a President and six members of council every year. The law should be so amended as to elect the President and two members each year, which would make it impossible to put in an entirely new council at one time. It is an advantage to have some on the council who know what has been done during the previous year.

On Saturday last another gift of $400 was made to St. Paul's Parish House by a lady member of the church who had already given $250. Her husband, during his life time, was one of the most liberal contributors to the Episcopal church, and she has not abated in liberality since his death. It is understood that there is now sufficient on hand to complete the building and furnish it.

LIGHTSTREET.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hidlay of Orange spent a week in town, looking after the property of Jacob Gerard.

R. M. Creasy closed his school on Monday, A. F. Terwilliger on Wednesday and Miss Shew will close on Monday next and thus six months of school have passed away.

Jos. Wardin moved to Glen Lyon, on Monday.

Frank Evans moved to Bloomsburg on Tuesday.

Rev. Shaffer moves to the property vacated by Jos. Wardin. Harman Fowler to the property vacated by C. M. Terwilliger, James Yocum to property vacated by P. W. Melick who has moved to the farm. O. B. Melick from Quality street to Main in property late M'Dowell Est. Isaac Crawford to the Geo. Oman property. M. L. Keller to the property of Isaac Reighard. Mrs. Etta Townsend from Orangeville to the Martha Brown property on Quality street.

Mr. Southwick moves from the property of Harry Heacock to his transportation wagon lately built by himself to travel from place to place.

Adam Black moves in the Clossen property vacated by Mrs. Seip, who moves into property of Mrs. Fritz vacated by Clark Musselman, who takes property vacated by Will Roup who goes into property of L. M. Pettit.

OBITUARY.

E. D. Leidy died at his home in Summersville, Missouri, March 17th, 1892 of typhoid pneumonia, aged 47 years 8 month and 29 days. The deceased was born in Hemlock township Columbia county, Pa., was a son of Isaac Leidy, married Sade, the oldest daughter of the late John Hartman of Buckhorn. His wife and 6 children survive him. Coon as he was better known and commonly called, he was of a jovial disposition and carried happiness and sun-shine into every place he stopped. He was a consistent member of the M. E. church having served his church for years as steward, class leader and Supt. of the Sunday School. He was a resident of this county until about seven years ago when with a number of other families he migrated to Missouri. The year prior to moving west he served as one of the executive committee of the Agricultural Society. The bereaved family have the sympathy of their many friends in this county.

CASES AFFIRMED.

Among the cases affirmed by the Supreme court on last Monday are the following tried recently by Judge Ikeler, Bennetts' appeal from Montour county overseers of the Poor of Brady township vs. overseers of the poor of Clinton township, and Plunketts Creek township vs. Shrewsberry township in Lycoming County.

GREEN GOODS.

Notwithstanding the fact that the newspapers are constantly exposing the swindlers who are sending circulars all over the country, offering counterfeit money for sale, there are yet and alwas will be people who will bite at this bait, and be swindled out of their money. We are frequently shown circulars of this character, and the latest one comes from H. E. Hager. 402 W. 123rd street, New York. His circular is a four page affair, in which he offers $3,000 of his money for $300 in good notes. After a long discourse he winds up by saying 'Do not as long as you live ever write me a letter; if you do I shall refuse to receive it, and furthermore all business relations between us will end. Don't forget this, and remember I mean just exactly what I say. When ready to come and see me, send me a telegram and say in it 'send price list.' Then sign your full name and address. On receipt of your telegram, I will immediately send you simple instructions how to see and know me, and will appoint a place of meeting at some hotel, in some town withia 50 miles within this city."

Many men who thought themselves smart, and who were considered honest men in their localities, have been caught by this scheme. The victim makes an appointment, meets the man, is shown a big roll of genuine money purporting to be "the goods" parts with his own good money, and gets in return a package supposed to contain the counterfeits, with the warning that it must not be opened until he reaches home. On opening it, he finds nothing but blank paper with green edges.

It is an old story, and it seems like a chestnut to repeat it, but so long as these iharks find that it pays to send out their circulars, just so long there are foolish people who may be swindled. Scarcely a day passes that the papers do not contain a report of some one caught in this ideneical trap. Such people are not entitled to much sympathy, for if they would read the newspapers they would know better. If they do read the papers, and still are lured by the offers of the counterfeiter, they are dishonest.

MILLVILLE.

Frank Stadler is erecting a dwelling house on Green Street.

James Rice has purchased a driving horse.

Howard Lyons moved on Tuesday from State to Main Street.

"Barney" is one of the busiest men in town. You would only have to see the number of stoves etc. he handles to be convinced of the fact.

Mrs. W. G. Manning is lying very low at her home with an abcess of the liver.

J. B. Eves is prepared to do a large business in the sale of agricultural implements and seeds this spring.

Present indications go to prove that Billy does not expect to continue in the tinshop very long, as he has reeently purchased a carpet loom and is going to weave.

John Kingston is now occupying his new house recently built on State st.

"Joe" is evidently tired of single life, so he has taken unto himself a wife. We wish them great happiness.

Mickle Paul of Philadelphia who came to attend the funeral of Pheobe Masters, was taken very sick with a chill the morning of the funeral. He had a dispatch sent for his family and Physician who arrived about 9 o'clock Saturday evening.

Esther, wife of John Parker of Greenwood was buried last Tuesday,

A birthday party was given at the home of R L. Rich last Sat. night in honor of Miss Mary's 22nd birthday.

Nelson Dutt, Operator at the W. & W. office is sick again with his old complaint.

Mrs. Millard Kester of Highland is visiting here this week.

Robert Cole died last Sunday in Luzerne county, leaving a wife and eight children. He was a son of the late Montgomery Cole, and a brother of J. Dean Cole of Jameson City. The latter attended the funeral on Tuesday. Robert had been sick since New Years, and was a great sufferer. Eruptions broke out all over his body, and the lance had to be used frequently. Deceased was 38 years of age.

Messrs. Zaner and Pursel sold a fine team of horses last Saturday to Alfred Stevens of Bloomsburg. It is a fine team of work horses, one of the best in the town. Parties in need of horses should consult Zaner and Pursel before making purchases.

Did it ever occur to you to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best spring medicine? Try a bottle this season. It will do you good.

BENTON GOSSIP.

Mr. Boyd Stiles, one of our distinguished citizens, surprised his many friends last Thursday night, by bringing a young lady from Three Rivers, Mich. whom he made his wife, at the residence of Mrs. Rebecca Carman.

Mr Arthur Colley left here on Monday for Kingston, where he intends going to school.

Grand-pap still sits in his rocking chair, with his poker in his hand and says, "Woe to the boy who smokes cigarettes around me."

Charlie Appleman still works at the shirt factory. He is now sewing buttons on the waist with a machine. He says that he can sew on four thousand a day now. That's pretty fast, Pete.

Butch is still working at the station.

The plank walk that has been much talked of, was put down Saturday. This is a much needed improvement.

H. R. Parker, the proprietor of the shirt factory, took a trip to Philadelphia last week.

Marvin M'Henry, of Jamison City, made a flying trip to Benton on Saturday night.

Mr Clyde Hirleman, who is going to school at the Normal, came home last Wednesday, returning on Monday.

John Montgomery, agent for the Kress Stationery Co., of Wilkesbarre, was in town last week.

Master John Stauffer expects to change his boarding place about the first of April.

Where are the members of the Benton Base Ball Club? It is time to talk about organizing.

Samuel Lemon made a flying trip to Jamison City, Saturday.

Mr. Brown, the principle of our schools, spent Sunday in Bloomsburg.

J. M. Kline returned from Phila. Sunday.

Mr. Harry Bittenbender is visiting friends in Berwick.

Marve, you must not sleep so long in the mornings, or you will get the G. B.

Tommy and Frank were smiling Saturday night.

Benard Cole offers his friends a good inducement.

The boys spent a dreary day here on Sunday.

Wonder where Freas was Saturday night with his rocks.

Elmer Davis is working in the printing office. They say that they are well pleased with him.

We have been informed that a deer was killed over in the East End last week. Where are our game commissioners?

Mr. Cadman, of Jamison City, made us a visit on Saturday night. We were glad to see him.

Arden M'Henry has a very bad cold.

John S. M'Henry moved to Picture Rocks last week

We noticed Elias M'Henry walking about the streets on Saturday.

Hervey looked sleepy on Sunday. Wonder if he was over to the corner.

The Latest Swindle.

Here is another very clear swindle which is being practiced by sharpers over the country. A man puts in an appearance; seeks the proprietor of the store, and informs him that he is seeking for rare coins, passing him a list of specimens and their alleged value. He also asks the interested proprietors to keep an eye out, and should he get hold of any keep them for him. Soon after another party strolls around buys a cigar or some other article, and exhibits a couple of coins with the remark that they are pocket pieces. On consulting his list the proprietor finds they are marked $45 each. Here he will see an opportunity for speculation, and after dickering, the second party sells him the pieces. Of course, number one never shows up, and the coins are worth no more than face value. This is now being worked all over the State.

THE NORMAL.

The rapid growth of this school has made it necessary to still further enlarge the buildings. On Tuesday night the Board of Trustees inspected plans, and work will soon begin upon an addition that will contain class-rooms, gymnasium, and rooms for 150 more students. It will be located between the present Dormitory and the Model School, and be connected with both. The number of pupils at the spring term will probably reach 500. The Bloomsburg Normal will soon stand at the head of such schools in the state.

Rev. Charles Morrison of Sunbury preached in St. Pauls' church on Wednesday night.

A VESTED CHOIR.

On Easter Sunday morning, April 17th, the choir of men and boys at St. Paul's P. E. church will wear vestments for the first time. Choir stalls have already been placed in the chancel and everything is in readiness for the change. The vestments consist of a cassock and cotta, the former being a long black garment extending from the neck to the feet, and the cotta being of white linen and worn over the cassock, the same as the vestments worn by Episcopal clergymen. Both are very ancient garments, having been worn in the English church for centuries. Many people are under the impression that vested choirs exist only in so called "high church" parishes. This is not the case. The first vested choir in this country was introduced by Rev. Dr. Muhlenberg of New York, at that time the typical "low church" of that city. Bishop Howe of Central Pennsylvania has never been accused of being a High churchman, and the music at his cathedral in Reading is rendered by a vested choir.

The many advantages of such a choir are that it makes a solemn and impressive opening and closing at each service; it makes a uniformity of dress that could not otherwise be obtained. The home-spun of a poor boy and the broadcloth of the wealthy look equally well, when covered by the vestments. This manner of conducting the service interests young men and boys in a way that nothing else can do it, and brings them into the church and choir, and holds them there. It is one of the best missionary agencies in the church. Already there have been more applications for membership of the choir than can be accommodated, as there are seats for only eighteen.

Wherever such choirs have been introduced they have given great satisfaction. The Episcopal churches at Williamsport, Sunbury, Shamokin, Scranton, Danville, Hazleton, Towanda and many other places in this region have such choirs, and not one of these churches is classed as a "high church". Indeed, if there is any longer any distinction between high church and low church, most of the above would be classed with the latter.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Court convened on Monday March 28 at 10 A. M.

President Judge E. R. Ikeler and Associates C. G. Murphy and M. Millard on the Bench.

Upon petition R. T. Smith appointed guardian of Harry, George and J. Homer Dodson, minor children of Chester S. Dodson, deceased.

In the matter of the Coroner's inquest on the body of C. J. Campbell deceased. Inquest filed, and order of Court as to its approval of the costs filed.

The hotel license of John Jamison for the "Proctor Inn" at Jameson City, transferred to John P. Hill.

Auditor's report in the estate of Robert Robbins, deceased, confirmed nisi as of March 29, 1892.

In the estate of Jacob Moyer deceased. Petition of George W. Supplee, trustee, for the approval of the Court of the investment, filed.

In the estate of Alem Whitmire, deceased, sale of real estate ordered.

The report of L. S. Wintersteen, Esq., Auditor in the estate of H. G. Creveling, deceased, confirmed absolutely.

Upon motion of C. E. Geyer, Esq., W. H. Rhawn, Esq., is continued as Auditor in the estate of Jacob Bartholomew, dec'd, to report on the first day of next term.

In the estate of Martha J. Edgar, deceased, upon motion of Fred Ikeler and it appearing to the Court that T. W. Edgar, Adm'r of said estate, died prior to his having raised a certain amount of money as per order of the court by mortgage, the order is so modified as that Uriah Edgar, Adm'r d. b. n c. t. a. is authorized to borrow one hundred dollars and thirty-four cents.

Court adjourned to meet April 4th, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Some corrections have been made in the statement of Bloom Poor District, the errors being made by the printer whose copy we used. It is correct as it now appears.

The regular meeting of the Womans Christain Temperance Union will be held at Mrs. Wm. Snyder's on Tuesday April 5 th at three o'clock.

By order of Sec.

The Spring Term of the Orangeville Academy begins April 18, 1892, and continues eleven weeks.

C. H. Moore, M. E. Prin.

W. C. M'Kinney is managing the Schuyler Hardware store this week, during the absence of J. R. Schuyler.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. F. P. Billmyer and daughter are in New York this week.

Jacob Brobst is moving his house on West Main street.

Mr. Daniel E. Whitenight of Tamaqua, was in town Monday, on business.

E. H. Harrar, manager of tha Acme Oil Company, spent Sunday in Scranton.

Mrs. J. K. Bittenbender is visiting friends in Philadelphia and Mauch Chunk this week.

C. H. Dildine, one of Greenwood's most substantial citizens, was in town on Tuesday.

John P. Hannon of Conyngham township, ex-coroner, was in town on business last Friday.

Henry M. Rupert attended the funeral of his uncle, Ario Pardee, at Hazleton on Wednesday.

J. F. Pfahler of Catawissa was in town last Saturday. He is just recovering from a long illness.

Miss Lucia Smith of Plymouth, Wisconsin, grand-daughter of Judge Elwell, is visiting her Bloomsburg relatives.

Though in ill health, Rev. J. P. Tustin has not resigned as cashier of the First National Bank, as announced in one of the town papers last week.

H. H. Rutter and wife of Hughesville were in town last week, Thursday to attend the wedding of Mr. Rutter's sister.

A. C. Brown, formerly of the firm of Brown Bros. of this town, now with the McDowell Co., of New York spent a few days in town during the past week.

Frederick Barber of Kansas was in town last Saturday, having come east on business. He is a brother-in-law of J. B. Robison Esq.

Mr. and Mrs. William Unger of Carroll, Carroll Co. Iowa spent Monday with their friends in town on their return home. They have spent three months in Benton and vicinity.

Masters Richard Oswald and G. Edward Elwell blossomed into the full glory of boyhood one day last week, when they discarded kilts and donned their first pair of pants. They are happy boys.

Annie Redeker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Redeker celebrated her tenth birthday Saturday evening by giving a party to her young friends. It was also her farewell reception before leaving with her parents for Bloomsburg.—*Hughesville Mail.*

A Danville paper says: "There is wide spread distress in this town. Women and children as well as men are suffering for the necessaries of life. Last Sunday the churches were boasting of the hundreds of dollars they have raised for missionary purposes, and yet almost within the shadow of some of the churches there was pinching want and the suffering that comes from a lack of food."

ESPY.

Well, we feel a little better since our men have gone to work in the Boat Yard. The men who worked last fall were all put to work last Tuesday.

Wm. Carson is the happiest man in town. He gets a pension.

Every one is busy getting ready to move.

Mr. M. Q. White has a yearling colt that trots a mile in three minutes.

We all think by the time he gets a year older he will do some fine work.

Frank Hummel sold one of his young bird dogs for $50. They are fine ones.

The young people of town called upon Miss Delia Geisinger last Thursday evening. It was a birthday party.

STARVING RUSSIANS.

By the request of Citizens a meeting is called to take in consideration aid for the Russians. The prosperous condition of our country and town forbids neglect of this duty. A meeting will be held at the Court House, Friday evening April 1st at 7½ o'clock.

All citizens are requested to attend, and aid in a movement to gather contributions.

P. S. Harman,
Pres. of Town Council

J. G. Wells has just received a fine lot of Dorflinger's cut glass ware, and fine French china ware. Also a new line of silver goods.

The *Republican* comes out this week with a full new dress of type. It is greatly improved in appearance

SECRET THOUGHTS.

I hold it true that thoughts are things
Endowed with bodies, breath and wings,
And that we send them forth to fill
The world with good results or ill.

That which we call our secret thought,
Speeds to the earth's remotest spot,
And leaves its blessings or its woes
Like tracks behind it as it goes.

It is God's law. Remember it
In your still chamber as you sit
With thoughts you would not dare have known,
And yet make comrades when alone.

These thoughts have life, and they will fly
And leave their impress by-and-by,
Like some marsh breeze, whose poisoned breath
Breathes into homes its fevered breath.

And after you have quite forgot
Or all outgrown some vanished thought,
Back to your mind to make its home,
A dove or raven, it will come.

Then let your secret thoughts be fair;
They have a vital part, and share
In shaping worlds the molding fate—
God's system is so intricate.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

IN SPITE OF HERSELF.

BY L. E.

Lola Atherton had lived for five years in the pretty New England village of Lindenville. At first she had been the unnoticed occupant of an attic room which she dignified by the name of studio; for Lola was a hard-working artist. Success attended her efforts, and she was now mistress of pleasant apartments in a neat vine-covered cottage.

Here she sat one bright summer morning with her kind landlady, Mrs. Marsh, listening to her lawyer's words.

"I am instructed to inform you," he said, "that with your deceased grandsire's fortune you are also required to assume the name of Clifford."

"My mother's maiden name," returned Lola.

"Yes, said the lawyer. All the necessary papers are at my office, awaiting your signature, and I would like you to call as soon as convenient."

So saying he bowed himself out.

"I am so glad for you, dear!" cried Mrs. Marsh. "No more tiresome art teaching; you are a rich woman."

"Yes," replied the girl, thoughtfully.

"But you might have been that before if you had been less stubborn—if I may say so, Lola."

The young woman started and flushed.

"I have done only what any girl with a particle of spirit would have done," she answered. "I have never given you the entire history of my troubles, but will do so now. Grandfather Clifford was wealthy, but he disinherited mother because she persisted in marrying the man of her choice. I can scarcely remember father, so young was I when he died. We were very poor, mother and I; what did that matter so long as we had each other? But there came one terrible day when they told me she was dying. Poor mother! I was only 16, and she thought she acted for the best when she insisted on my marriage with Paul Thornton, whom I had never met before."

"Never met before?" echoed Mrs. Marsh, in amazement.

"No," replied Lola. "Our mothers were schoolmates and the most romantic of friends. They made an agreement that in after years the first son of one should marry the first daughter of the other. When mother's fatal illness seized her Paul was allowed to see me without my knowledge, and had the grace to fall in love at once."

She spoke the last words bitterly.

"And you could not return his affection, Lola?"

"I did not try," she answered indignantly. "I had never been wooed, so why should I be won? I was forced upon him that I might have the protection of a rich husband. After mother died I told Paul Thornton that I would have neither his money nor his protection, and left him."

"Yet he has placed his wealth at your disposal and has never annoyed you in any way. He must be a noble man."

Lola colored uneasily.

"And I have never touched a cent of it," she retorted. "It would not have been right."

"It is a very sad story," said the sweet-faced lady. "But there are happy days in store for you; this unexpected legacy will bring rest after years of hard work and loneliness. You will have an abundance of pleasure and many visitors, for you are rich and—I hope you will not consider it flattery from your old friend when I add—very beautiful."

Mrs. Marsh's words were prophetic of Lola Clifford's changed life. In all the bright, happy summer days that followed she did not allow the remembrance of the wretched tie that restrained her freedom to trouble her until she met Gerald Winthrop.

She saw him first at Newport. He was a handsome young man, with a well proportioned figure. His eyes were deep gray, honest, penetrating, and capable of showing mirth and rare gentleness.

As Lola was strolling down the beach one lovely morning, she met him face to face, and looking into his eyes realized that she loved this man with a love that would not be controlled.

"Mr. Wintrop is becoming very marked in his attentions to you, my dear," said Mrs. Marsh, who had accompanied her young friend as chaperone. "If I were you I would not permit it. You know very little about him; he may not be your equal; besides, dear Lola, you must not forget that you are bound to another."

"But I will not be bound any longer; I will be free!" cried the excited girl. "Gerald Winthrop is my superior in everything but wealth. Oh, how I hate myself when I think of my situation!"

"Will you tell him of—"

"The whole miserable story at the proper time," interrupted Lola, decidedly.

The proper time came soon—much sooner than Lola meant it should, for she never intended to listen to words of love until she could obtain a legal separation from her husband.

She came down to the shore as usual, one beautiful evening in the early twilight, ostensibly to enjoy the fresh sea breezes, manifestly to meet Gerald Winthrop.

He came forward to meet her with the light in his handsome face which always made the girl's heart beat faster.

How lovely she was! Geraid noted every turn of her golden head, every movement of the graceful form. She wore a dress of white cashmere, with a corsage bouquet of forget-me-nots.

He drew her hand on his arm and silently led her beyond the scattered groups of people on the sand. They chatted on indifferent matters for a time, then Winthrop suddenly said:

"I heard an odd story to-day, Miss Clifford; may I tell it to you?"

"Certainly," she returned brightly. "Is it a tragedy? Your face betokens one."

"Almost that, for it tells of a man's blighted hopes. What he most covets is denied—

"'A woman's heart and a woman's life
And a woman's wonderful love.'"

"And this man is your friend?"

"Yes, Paul Thornton," he continued, as he fixed his penetrating eyes on the face beside him, seeing that it had changed to the hue of death, "was united to a girl whom he idolized. That was more than five years ago, and yet he has never heard her call him husband."

"Did she marry him voluntarily?" questioned Lola, forcing herself to speak.

"No, she married him to please her dying mother, but God knows he would have wooed her patiently, and is confident that he would have succeeded in finally winning her love. But she left him, and now has petitioned for a divorce."

"Will it be granted?" asked Lola, with bated breath.

"Never! He would end the existence of both rather than give her up to another," Gerald answered with emphasis, and unclasping Lola's hand, he turned and faced her.

"Oh, how can he be so cruel?" cried the girl, as she sank almost helpless at Winthrop's feet.

She did not entirely lose consciousness; she felt herself raised and drawn to Gerald Winthrop's breast with a strength that left her powerless; felt his lips press hers as he cried:

"Lola, my cherished one, what have I done?"

For a minute the quivering form gave itself up to that masterful clasp, the trembling lips yielded to his, and then the revulsion came. The color fluttered into her cheeks, her eyes opened, and she vainly tried to free herself from his embrace.

"Tell me that you love me, Lola—just once!" he pleaded.

"Heaven help me, I do love you!" she said, hiding her face on his breast with a sob. "Oh, Gerald, spare me! I can be nothing to you—I, another man's wife, if only in harsh legal bondage! In pity let me go, for I am that most unhappy creature whom you have just condemned, Paul Thornton's wife."

"I will not let you go! I have a right to hold you."

"Ah, no! that is not possible!" she returned. "Release me, Gerald—we must forget what has passed."

"Forget the happiest moment of my life? No, no! Lola say those words again—"

"You are cruel!" she exclaimed. "How can you torture me so?"

"Am I not to have my revenge for all you have made me suffer?" he retorted still holding her close. "Lola, my darling, can you not guess the truth—that I am your husband."

"Paul Thornton!" she gasped.

"Yes, Paul Thornton, who discovered your hiding place only a few weeks ago. Since learning your whereabouts I have shadowed your movements as faithfully as a detective would shadow those of the most noted criminal, and resolved to use a little stategy that I might win you."

"And I," said Lola, smiling through happy tears, "walked blindly into your trap. Five years have changed your appearance very much indeed," she continued, pushing him off at arms length and looking into his handsome face.

"You took so little notice of me during the short time we were under your mother's roof, little one, that it would have surprised me much if you had recognized me when I came here. My proud darling—my wife!" he went on, as he drew her head down to its rightful resting place again. Those were sad days for us, but, God willing, the future shall be a glorious one."

The waves danced and glistened in the moonlight as arm in arm the reunited husband and wife went back to motherly Mrs. Marsh, who heartily congratulated them, and laughed as she thought how Lola had been won.

The Sandstorms of the Great American Desert.

As would be inferred from its temperature, the desert is a land of fearful winds. When that volume of hot air rises by its own lightness, other air from the surrounding world must rush in to take its place; and as the new ocean of atmosphere, greater than the Mediterranean, pours in enormous waves into its desert bed, such winds result as few in fertile lands ever dreamed. The Arabian simoom is not deadlier than the sandstorm of the Colorado Desert (as the lower half of this region is generally called). Express trains can not make head against it—nay, sometimes they are even blown from the track! Upon the crest of some of the ranges are hundreds of acres buried deep in the fine white sand that those fearful gales scoop up by carloads from the plain and lift on high to fling upon the scowling peaks thousands of feet above. There are no snowdrifts to blockade trains there; but it is frequently necessary to shovel through more troublesome drifts of sand. Man or beast caught in one of those sand-laden tempests has little chance of escape. The man who will lie with head tightly wrapped in coat or blanket and stifle there until the fury of the storm is spent, may survive; but woe to the poor brute whose swift feet can not bear it betimes to a place of refuge. There is no facing or breathing that atmosphere of alkaline sand, whose lightest whiff inflames eyes, nose, and throat almost past endurance.—St. Nicholas.

HISTORICAL SKETCHES.

The three Punic wars covered over a hundred years. Wonderful what bitter animosity existed between the two great rival cities. Rome and Carthage, before Carthage was blotted out of existence. The career of Hannibal is the subject of our theme. It took 7 months for Alexander to subdue Tyre. Carthage was originally founded by a colony from Tyre, and like its mother, grew to be a great commercial city and maritime power. Rome had been built by some [wanderers from Troy. While Cartha genian] galleys covered the seas. Rome had not a ship, and this was at the commencement of the first Punic war. A stray galley drifted from Carthage and stranded upon the coast of Italy. This was Rome's first model and experience in ship building. The first war, was all about Messina a town of Sicily. For five hundred years these twin cities grew and flourished without dissension, but political necessity, as in many instances, brought on the first punic war. This is what we should do, surround our countra's altar and swear eternal hostility to everything inimical to our Flag and our Institutions as Hamilcarled his son Hannibal to one of the altars and there swore eternal hostility to Rome, Hannibal a boy 9 years old. Hannibal was about 21 yrs. of age when he first set out against the Romans indirectly. The great city of Saguntum was taken and this opened the way to the 2 nd Punic war. The wealth of Saguntum enriched Hannibal and his army for further conquest. Hannibal crosses into Italy, surmounts the Alps, and commences to redden the sod of Italy with Roman and Carthagenian blood. Hannibal had served years before he commanded while Roman consuls were appointed by the Roman senate who were hardly inured to warfare. Hannibal was not only a fighter but perhaps, the most cunning strategist the world ever saw He was constantly surprising the Romans with audacious tricks. He was a man of decision—the Pyrenees the Rhone, the Alps formed no obstruction to his passage. He fought the Romans for 16 yrs., principally in their own territory. The Romans learned to fear Hannibal by this time after fighting them in Italy.

We pass over many battles, and mention Cannae, the last great battle fought by Hannibal in Italy. The gates of Rome were seriously threatened, and Rome was in terrible agitation. The forces of Rome were increased under two consuls or generals but Cannae went against them and Hannibal sent bushels of gold rings to Carthage as trophies of his victory.

Young Scipio now made his appearance. There were three Scipios, Roman generals; this was the second, and saw service. Hannibal took up winter quarters in Capula, and on the following Spring emerged with an effeminated army towards the gates of Rome. Capua had supplied his army with all the luxuries of life, and per consequence, they were incapable of fight or endurance. His idea was however of retaining possession of Italy and making Capua his capital. Mago was sent to get reinforcements from Carthage with the gold rings Hannibal had captured at battle Cannae. The Carthagenian Senator who fought Hannibal from the beginning. Hanno opposed the sending of reinforcements, for if all Italy was conquered, Rome taken and Capua Hannibal's capital where was there need of reinforcements? He sends bushels of gold rings and yet wants money and supplies? Hanno was ahead in argument, and there was nothing substantial in Hannibal except his necessities. Hannibal after a time finds himself encamped outside of Rome. His Capua the Romans had. Rome sold the ground upon which Hannibal encamped at the regular prices and Hannibal in mockery sold a street, or two, of Rome. His brother came on after awhile. Hannibal and Nero and Livius were the Roman consuls that occupied Northern and Southern Italy. A battle was fought between Nero and Hasdrubal. Hasdrubal's head was thrown into the camp of Hannibal. Scipio overcame one Carthagenian general and another till he reached New Carthage and Roman authority was reestablished. Scipio penetrated Africa, and threatened Carthage. Hannibal was sent for to come home. He went with a sorrowing heart, after a most signal defeat by Scipio. There was peace for 52 years. Another war of 3 years and Carthage was reduced to ashes by Scipio Africanus who destroyed the city. Hannibal became a fugitive from his own land, the Romans pursuing him, died by taking poison in his old days in the kingdom of Bythynia in Asia Minor.

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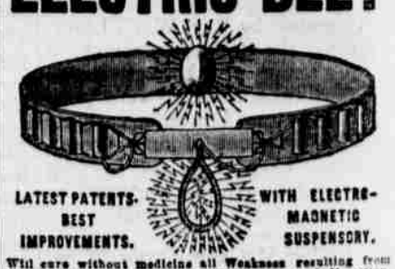

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SALISBURY'S REPLY.

THE PRESIDENT SENDS A MESSAGE RESPECTING IT TO THE SENATE.

THE SITUATION IS GRAVE.

WASHINGTON, March 28.

The Behring Sea controversy has reached a very acute stage, and the war correspondents have sharpened their pencils for another big scare. Salisbury's reply declining to renew the modus vivendi, except upon condition of indemnity to Canadian sealers in case the arbitrators decide the main controversy against the United States, and the President's rejoinder rejecting the conditions have gone to the Senate. They are being carefully guarded, but enough has leaked out to make the situation look very grave.

The President closed his note with a declaration that unless a modus vivendi was agreed on he would see that the laws against poachers were enforced if he was obliged to use the military and naval force of the United States to do so. This is probably a very brusque way of stating what was conveyed in more diplomatic language, as it is not probable the President would assume the reponsibility of a blunt and warlike threat.

Nevertheless, the mere intimation that the President has gone ahead and brought matters to a crisis which may eventuate in war has unsettled everybody. The moneyed interests are already alarmed, as the countless telegrams of inquiry from New York this afternoon indicate. The President, who was so severely criticised for his precipitate action in the Chilian matter, perhaps fears that his present aggressive stand in the controversy with England is necessary to vindicate him from the charge then made that he was anxious to jump on a little petty fourth-rate power.

John Bull, however, is not in the habit of taking a bluff, although it is apparent that England is prevented from rushing into hostilities with the United States by the delicate situation in Europe. A declaration of war between John Bull and Uncle Sam, it is generally believed, would be immediately followed by hostile demonstrations against India and Egypt by Russia and France respectively, and the whole continent of Europe would probably become embroiled in war. Assurances are given to-night, however, that the President's rejoinder contained nothing like an ultimatum. The full text of his correspondence is awaited with keen interest.

A MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

WASHINGTON, March 28th.—At half-past 12, last Friday a message from the President on the Behring Sea matter reached the Senate, and Senator Sherman entered a motion to go into executive session, which was done. The Senate remained in executive session a short time, presumably in reference to the Behring Sea matter.

Lord Salisbury's note may be described as a synopsis of the detailed reply to the State Department note, which is to follow by mail. His refusal to consent to a renewal of the modus vivendi is accompanied with several counter propositions, the reading of which was received with ill-suppressed irritation by the Senate. The general character of the note is described as evasive and equivocating.

The President's rejoinder was also transmitted to the Senate. It is a pungent communication, in which the President broadly, but in diplomatic language, hints that Lord Salisbury has not met his overtures in a straightforward, businesslike manner. The President insists upon a renewal of the modus vivendi, without reference to insignificant or irrelevant conditions, and closes his note with the stirring assertion that if the Government of Great Britain declines to assist in the protection of the seals during the arbitration of the claims of the United States he will proceed to enforce the laws and exclude poachers from Behring Sea if the military force of the United States is required to accomplish it.

The gravity of the case has led to a renewal of the strongest efforts of the Senators to prevent the public from being made acquainted with the facts until the correspondence has progressed further. There was no expression of opinion by the President in his letter of transmittal; but this was not needed, in view of the clearly defined position assumed by him in his rejoinder to Lord Salisbury, which appeared to meet with the unanimous approval of the Senators, although the debate itself was too short to disclose officially the standing of the Senators.

Although there has been nothing in the nature of a direct vote upon the treaty of arbitration, and there is a well-defined opposition to it as a surrender by the United States of her rights acquired by treaty from Russia, it can be stated that the treaty will soon be ratified by the Senate. But a resolution will accompany it reciting that there does not appear to be any sufficient reason for the abatement by the United States of its claims to jurisdiction, and authorizing the President to use all the force of the military arm of the government to secure the protection of the rights of the United States.

Lord Salisbury does not in his note refuse to enter into a modus vivendi of some kind; he does not flatly refuse to be a party to some arrangement, but, diplomatically speaking, he "fails to consent" to the proposition made by this government. Inasmuch as the Senate has refused to make the correspondence public it is exceedingly difficult to get a clear statement of the exact idea intended to be conveyed in the diplomatic language of such correspondence as that laid before the Senate to-day; but undoubtedly the impression generally conveyed by the reading was that Lord Salisbury has refused to renew the arrangement of last year.

It can be stated that there is nothing in the nature of an ultimatum on the part of either government in the correspondence laid before the Senate. The correspondence is still considered incomplete, and the way is still open for further letter writing in the line of each side to show how far the other party is in the wrong. Underlying the formal phraseology of diplomacy, however, is an evident intention on the part of this government to bring the matter to the point of definite determination before the sealing season is far advanced. And the President's reply, it is thought, will greatly tend to the attainment of the desired result.

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THE COLUMBIAN,
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FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 1892.

ames Ritter was defeated in Union county for renomination for the Legislature, last Saturday.

Walt Whitman, the famous old poet, died last Saturday at his home in Camden. He was born in 1819.

Messrs. Milland and Porter, editors of the Beaver *Star*, who were convicted of libelling Senator Quay and were sentenced to six months imprisonment, have been pardoned on the recommendation of the Board of Pardons.

The Democrats of Schuylkill county ought to renominate Judge Cyrus L. Pershing by a unanimous vote. For twenty years he has been one of the purest and ablest Judges of the state, and his record is one to be proud of. He is a man of rare ability and integrity, and the people of Schuylkill county cannot afford to retire him to make place for some untried young lawyer. It is a dangerous thing to experiment on the bench.

SHAKESPEARE AT CHICAGO.

There is a consternation among Britishers at the prospect of Anne Hathaway's cottage at Stratford-on-Avon, being taken bodily to the Chicago Exhibition. It was publicly advertised for sale this week, and two of the biggest bids came from Americans, who are anxious to take it to Chicago. The trustees of Shakespeare's birthplace have tried to raise money enough to buy the property, but so far, their efforts have come to nothing.

A meeting has been arranged at Bristol by Consul Lathrop to provide for a historical exhibit of the Cabot period at Chicago. The Mayor of Bristol will preside. Several influential citizens have promised to aid in securing a valuable exhibit.

Sheer Folly.

The fact has been brought forcibly home to the Democratic members of Congress that it will be the sheerest folly for them to pass the free silver bill. It will be worse—it will be suicidal. It is known that there is but a small minority of Democrats in this country in favor of free silver. What then would be gained by passing the free silver bill? Nothing. The Democrats would not gain the electoral votes of a single Western State that is not now Democratic. On the other hand the party would lose several doubtful Eastern States that would otherwise be for the Democratic candidate and tariff reform. Free silver is the millstone which the Republican leaders hope to fasten about the neck of the Democratic party for the purpose of causing its wreckage.—*Williamsport Sun.*

If it Becomes a Law.

A bill passed the United States Senate a few days ago providing for the erection of public buildings in towns where the postoffice receipts have exceeded $3,000 annually for the past three years. If it becomes a law there will be more or less of a building boom in Pennsylvania. We give below a list, published in the Philadelphia *Press* a few days ago, of the towns which will be entitled to new buildings. The bill provides that the buildings are not to cost over $30,000 each: Ashland, Athens, Bedford, Berwick, Blairsville, Bloomsburg, Bristol, Brookville, Brownsville, Bryn Mawr, Catasauqua, Clarion, Clearfield, Coatesville, Connellsville, Conshohocken, Doylestown, Dubois, Gettysburg, Greenville, Hanover, Hollidaysburg, Homestead, Honesdale, Indiana, Irwin, Kane, Kennett Square, Kingston, Kittanning, Latrobe, Lewistown, Mansfield, Marietta, Mauch Chunk, Mechanicsburg, Mercer, Middletown, Monongahela City, Montrose, Mount Carmel, Mount Pleasant, Muncy, Nanticoke, New Brighton, North East, Oxford, Plymouth, Renovo, Reynoldsville, Ridgeway, Rochester, Scottdale, Sewickley, Shippensburg, Somerset, Steelton, Stroudsburg, Susquehanna, Tamaqua, Tarentum, Tidioute, Troy, Tunkhannock, Union City, Waynesboro, Waynesburg, Wellsboro, West Newton, and Wilkinsburg.

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ARIO PARDEE DEAD.

THE CAUSE GIVEN AS HEART DISEASE.

Ario Pardee, of Hazleton, banker, coal operator and manufacturer, was found dead in his bed in his Rock Ledge, Indian river, Florida, cottage, Saturday morning, by members of his family. Death had come some time during the night for the body was already cold and stiff.

About four weeks ago Mr. Pardee, accompanied by three daughters and Dr. Robinson, left Hazleton on a Southern trip and repaired almost directly to his Indian river cottage. For a man almost 82 years of age Mr. Pardee has had remarkable health, and his various enterprises have made up a series of burdens few men have cared to carry. He retired as usual Friday evening and the cause of death is given as heart disease.

Ario Pardee was the pioneer and foremost anthracite coal operator in the upper Lehigh and lower Luzerne region. He was born November 15, 1810, at Nassau, N. Y., and began with the late Asa Packer, with him engaging in that series of developments that have brought the Lehigh Valley into the industrial prominence it occupies to-day.

Hazleton, in 1836, was a mere crossroads staging point on the State road from Wilkesbarre to Easton and there Mr. Pardee took charge of the mines he leased in 1839, working them with Gillingham Fell. The mine properties to-day comprise six collieries in and around Hazleton. They make up in part also the Fell estate. In addition Mr. Pardee owned outright the mines at Lattimer, Hollywood and Mount Pleasant and leased from the Roberts estate the mines at Cranbery and Crystal Ridge. The combined output is given at 1,250,000 tons of coal a year and 5,500 miners and laborers are on the pay rolls of Pardee & Co. and Pardee Bros. & Co. who operate them.

Mr. Pardee's coal enterprises at Hazleton, great as they are, represent only a part of his holdings and investments. He owned the carshops and planing mill at Watsontown. About 7,000 acres of soft coal territory, in Clearfield and Jefferson conties, make up a very valuable realty just coming into the market He held about 500 shares of Huntingdon and Broad Top stock, and his Lehigh Valley railroad stock is estimated at $1,000,000 in value. He also owned the Stanhope, New Jersey, furnaces, and the town of Hazleton, Ohio is a late venture in the cannel coal fields of that state. Mr. Pardee some years since invested heavily in North Carolina timber property and also had mills at Montoursville, this State.

No man of wealth was ever more unpretentious. Like Asa Packer, pioneer with him in the Lehigh valley, Mr. Pardee presented LaFayette College at Easton, with the hall bearing his name—a building first erected at a cost of $350,000, and when destroyed by fire, rebuilt by Mr. Pardee.

Throughout life Mr. Pardee was a Presbyterian by religious views, although not a communicant member of that denomination. He built the Presbyterian Chnrch and parsonage in Hazleton, and across the way, at Broad and Church streets, in the midst of a park taking up a full city block, stands the old and spacious stone mansion that has been his home for fifty years. There his best leisure was to enjoy a library of almost priceless value, or act as gardener on his well-kept grounds.

A man of tireless energy and never ending industry, Mr. Pardee has the largest stores in Hazleton to-day. A big flour mill represents another of his smaller investments and a national bank still another.

Prosperity came very slow at first and Mr. Pardee suffered such heavy reverses in the panic of 1873 that two years later, finding it impossible to realize on his investments, he was compelled to borrow millions of dollars to tide over the situation. In 1864, it is stated, Mr. Pardee under oath that his income for the previous year had been over $1,000,000. It was in the year 1863 that Mr. Pardee, then almost a multi-millionaire, endowed the chair of mathematics at Lafayette College, and later sent his check for $350,000 towards the endowment fund, Pardee Hall being the fruits of this munificent gift.

Mr. Pardee was twice married. His first wife was Miss Bessie Jacobs, of Butler Valley.

Mr. Pardee's second wife was Miss Annie Robinson, of Bloomsburg, and her children are Israel Pardee, of Stanhope, N. J.; Barton Pardee, of Lock Haven; Frank Pardee, superintendent of the Hazleton mines; Miss Edith and Miss Gertrude Pardee, of Hazleton, who were with him in Florida; Mrs. Robert P. Allison, of Port Carbon, near Pottsville, and Mrs. A. S. Vanwickle, of Hazleton.

The work of constructing the Pennsylvania building at the World's fair at Chicago, has been let to a Harrisburg party for $65,000.

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To accept the scandalous stories you hear concerning other people.

Or with your husband because he doesn't tell you everything he knows.

Or with your sweetheart because she treats other gentlemen with courtesy.

Or with your lover because he mixes common sense with his love making.

To go in debt because the shopkeepers have confidence in your honesty.—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

An exchange says the D. L. & W. Company is now making preliminary movements to enter Wilkes Barre. This action is said to be a move brought about by this company being favorable to the Reading combine, the object being to keep the Pennsylvania railroad out of Scranton.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 28, 1892.

Speaker Crisp probably wishes as sincerely as any man in or out of Congress that the Bland free coinage bill had been finally disposed of last week, and that there were some honorable way of escaping a renewal of the fight this week. But there isn't. Nothing will satisfy either side but a decisive victory. Mr. Crisp's position in the fight, last week, was anything but pleasant to him. Although it had been some time ago decided that the free coinage of silver should not be made a party measure, he found himself confronted by a majority of the democrats in the House, together with eleven republicans and the Alliance members, who favored free coinage, and a strong minority of democrats and seven eighths of the republicans, among whom were some of the ablest and most experienced parliamentarians in the House, who were opposed to it. That the Speaker, who has always been in favor of free coinage of silver, found the role of presiding officer a trying and difficult one to fill, to his own satisfaction, to say nothing of others, is not strange; and it is greatly to his credit that no serious fault was found with his rulings.

This week he will have it all to go through with again, as the committee on Rules will report another special rule, calling up the silver bill, and it is expected, cutting off debate and filibustering of all sorts. It is probable that the contest over the adoption of this rule will be as bitter and exciting as were any of the fights in Czar Reed's billion dollar Congress, and its result appears to be in doubt. Since last week's surprise the prophets are all laying low and "sawing wood".

Mr. Harrison has approved in a special message the bill appropriating $100,000 for the G. A. R. encampment in this city, next September, but there is a good deal of opposition to the bill, on constitutional grounds. It is held that if it be proper for the general Government to appropriate money for the entertainment of a national gathering of the members of one non official organization, it will be the same for all others.

Certain friends of Mr. Harrison have been making an effort to make an alliance, offensive and defensive, with Secretary Rusk, to whom they have offered the second place on the ticket with Mr. Harrison, but Secretary Rusk while personally in favor of the renomination of Mr. Harrison, hesitates to do anything that might prevent his accepting the nomination himself, should it be discovered that the convention was not favorably disposed towards Mr. Harrison. Besides Mr. Rusk has been requested by prominent republicans of his State to keep himself free from any entangling alliances with any other candidate, in order to give them a chance to work for his nomination.

The Senate is going through another violent attack of the newspaper fever, and is pretending to be very much interested in discovering by what underhand methods the wicked correspondents get the full details of everything done in executive sessions, whereas every schoolboy in Washington knows that it is the Senators themselves who furnish the correspondents with the news. The special occasion of this attack was the publication of what the Senators said in executive session about the arbitration treaty, which they have informally concluded to ratify, but are as yet undecided whether to make a renewal of the modus vivendi a condition of its going into effect. They will decide this week.

These is a curious story going around concerning Mr. Harrison and Mr. Blaine. It says that Mr. Blaine attended the last cabinet meeting, and there for the first time learned the full extent of Mr. Harrison's management of the Behrings, Sea business, and that when asked to give his advice he declined to do so, saying in effect that he preferred having nothing to do with it.

It is denied at the Navy department that any orders have been issued concerning the policing of Behrings' Sea, but it is well known that there are not enough revenue cutters in the Pacific to do the work, and that naval vessels will have to help if it is to be done.

ST. GEORGE AND THE DRAGON

It is said in a lake near the city of Silence, in England, a huge dragon dwelt, whose insatiable maw seemed satisfied with nothing the people could give him In their despair they cast lots to determine who among their dearest ones should be flung to the beast, and the lot fell to the King's daughter. As she was going, like Jeptha's daughter, to meet her terrible fate, she was met by George of Cappadocia, who after hearing her sad story, bade her fear not, and making a sign of the cross he brandished his lance, attacked and transfixed the dragon, and leading him into the city beheaded him in the presenee of all the people. For this noble deed he became the Patron Saint of England. Many a dragon in the form of disease, while leading his victim to death, as sure as that which would have befallen the King's daughter but for her timely rescue, has been demolished by the use of S. S. S., and the victim restored to health. Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free.

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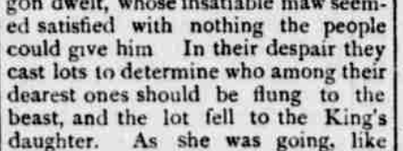

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DR.

A. F. MARTZ, Supervisor.

To amt. of duplicate work	$ 712.07
" " " special tax	277.50
" " " hotel license from Co. Treas.	35.62
" " " Borough of Berwick	5.00
" " " C. C. Evans	4.05
	$1034.24

CR.

By amt. of work done 1890-1	$ 592.60
" " pd. R. S. Bowman, statement	25.00
" " " J. & W. Mfg. Co.	52.64
" " " Petty Bros., Plank	35.00
" " " G. R. Klinetob, statements	4.70
" " " G. W. Bosler, smithing	2.35
" " " American Road Machine Co.	4.05
" " " B. J. Edwards for gravel	3.00
" " " J. H. Eck for plank	2.46
" " " Adam Sult, swearing twp. officers	1.25
By amt. pd. Adam Sult for a Fal. due from last yr	10 55
By amt. pd. H. R. Bower, spikes	.95
" " " John G. Jacoby, acknowledgment	.25
By amt. pd. D. L. & W. R. R. Co. freight	.62
" " " C. G. Mack for plank	3.08
" " " C. B. Jackson, fees etc.	16.00
" " " Garrison Bros., spikes	.40
" " " Penna. R. R. Co., freight	3.42
" " " J. C. Ferman, smithing	1.50
" " " C. W. Brubaker, bill	2.19
" " " C. R. Woodin, dynamite	2.80
" " " D. W. Martz, Frank Ferris, J. B. Freas, S. E. Smith, J. C. Sponenberger, mileage and cost on Co., bridge	18.11
By amt. pd. Petty Bros., plank	5.00
" " " B. F. Crispin, timber	22.20
" " " C. C. Evans, atty. fees	35.00

EXONERATIONS.

G. W. Foust	$ .42
J. W. Bellis	.80
Wm. Bellis	.48
Geo. Killian	.48
Zibe Rood	.48
Samuel White	.48
By amt. pd. shoveling show	2.60
" " " self 54 days	81.00
" " " auditors	1.50
" " " bar and chain	1.61
" commission on $236.82 at 5 per cent.	11.84
" " " auditors & clerks for 2 days	16.00
	$992.80

FOR YEAR ENDING MARCH 14, 1892.

WM. LAMON, Supervisor.

DR.

To amt of duplicate work	$ 646.26
" " " special tax	215.29
" " from Elliot Adams	26.65
" " " A. F. Martz	30.99
" " " C. C. Evans	17.78
" " " George Schechterly	10.45
	947.42

CR.

By amt. pd. work on road	$ 8 9.52
" " " auditors and clerk	32.00
" " " C. W. Brubaker for steel	1.65
" " " C. B. Jackson, fee in full	9.00

EXONERATIONS.

Dal. Seybert	$ .48
Seymour Dietterick	.48
Percentage on $214.33	10.72
By amt. pd. for making duplicates	3.00
" " " for returning unseated land.	3.00
" " " " services self 59½ days	89.25
" " " meeting auditors	1.50
	$989.64

FOR YEAR ENDING MARCH 14, 1892,

A. B. CROOP, Collector of Poor Tax.

DR.

To amt. due from 1890	$ 257.86
" " " from duplicate	225.94
	$483.80

A. B. CROOP, Collector of Tax 1891.

CR.

Nov. 14, 1891, by amt. pd. M. H. Petty	$ 100.00
Feb. 20., 1892, by amt. pd. " " "	50.00
By abatement	6.39
By commission on $118.00 at 3 per cent.	3.54
" commission on $45.00 at 5 per cent.	2.62

EXONERATIONS.

G. W. Foust	$ .06
I. W. Bellas	.10
Wm. Bellas	.06
George Killian	.06
Zibe Rood	.06
Samuel White	.06
Seymour Dietterick	.06
Dal. Seybert	.06
Frank Berlin	.06
	$164.77

M. H. PETTY, Overseer of Poor.

DR.

To bal. due from 1890-1	$ 270.43
Nov. 14, '91, to amt. from A. B. Croop, col.	100.00
Feb. 20, '92, to amt. from A. B. Croop, col.	50 00
" 27, '92, to amt. from S. E. Smith Fowler Estate	127.25
March 5, '92, to amt. from J. B. Lockard	18.25
	$565 93

M. H. PETTY, Overseer of Poor, 1891-2

DR.

Paid C. A. Lamon keeping Milton Vanhorn	$ 50.00
Paid Warren Hospital Hannah Humell	91.50
" Danville Hospital, John Vanhorn	91.25
" " " Enos L. Bower	59 25
" Geo. W. Rote for Enos L. Bower Funeral expense	33.50
Paid Telegram from Danville for E. L. Bower	.68
" Fare to Danville and return	.99
" Order Enos Kitenhouse service	4.36
" A. B. Croop State Tax on Fowler bequest	6.04
" Vollis Seybert moving Yackel's family	3.00
" S. E. Smith Commission on Bowler bequest	6.36
" C. C. Eves fees and oath	14.00
" Dr. Regan for Examination John Vannorn	1.00
" Geo. Schichtler for keeping self	27.00
" Pair Overalls Charles Vanhorn	.75
" Making Duplicate	3.0
" Postage and Stationary	.50
" Self service 15 days	15 0
" Meeting Auditors One day	1 00
Attest Headly Sult	$399.18

C. F. ADAMS,
M. L. HOUSEKNECH,
R. H. SITTLER, } Auditors.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Mary C. Savage late of Jackson township, Columbia Co., deceased.

Notice is here by given that letters of administration on the estate of Mary C. Savage, late of Jackson township Col. Co., Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to B. F. SAVAGE, Administrator.

3-25-6t. A. L. FRITS, Atty.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Henry Creasy, deceased.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphan's Court of Columbia County to make distribution, will sit at the office of B. F. Zarr, Esq., in Bloomsburg on Wednesday, April 6, 1892, at 10 o'clock a. m., to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all persons must appear and prove their claims or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

3-11. C. C. PEACOCK, Auditor.

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A dress pattern of either a Silk sublime, Bedford cord, Surah cloth, Camels hair, Vicuna cloths, and all leading dress goods in newest shades. Large lines of dress trimmings, buttons etc. Hosiery of all kinds and prices. Underwear of all kinds. Kid gloves something new. Chiffon laces, Jewelery, Gold rings, Stick pins, Corsets all kinds. See our $1 boys shirt waists, mens shirts, dress ginghams and wash dress goods in newest effects. Outing cloths, new styles, counterpanes *Lace and Chenille Curtains* all kinds, Sash curtains, *Curtain Poles* etc. Ladies muslin underwear, Chenille table covers, sheeting muslins, ribbons, towels, table linens etc.

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If you have need of either come and see our stock; if you have not, come along just the same.

We know you will admire the beautiful combination in wall papers; the new shades in curtains and be astonished at what you can do at a moderate outlay.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, Pa., and to me directed, will be exposed at public sale at the Court House, Bloomsburg, Pa., on

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 1892.

at 2 o'clock p. m., the one-half of that certain lot or piece of ground bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of Centre street and Mahanoy streets, thence along said Centre street south eighty-seven degrees west (S. 87° W.) one hundred and forty feet to an alley, thence along said alley north three degrees west (N. 3° W.) twenty-five feet to a stake, thence north eighty-seven degrees east (N. 87° E.) one hundred and forty (140) feet to Mahanoy street, thence along said Mahanoy street south three degrees (S. 3° E.) twenty-five feet to the point of beginning, being the lot marked number Twelve in Block Number fifty-five (55) in the town of Centralia, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, as laid out by Locust Mountain Coal and Iron Company and the same or part of the same lot which the aforesaid Locust Mountain Coal and Iron Company by agreement made the 8th day of July, A. D. 1884, conveyed to the aforesaid Celia Gerrity.

ALSO, that other lot or piece of ground bounded and discribed as follows: The western half of lot Number Eleven (11) in Block Number Fifty-five in the aforesaid town of Centralia and it being the same lot or piece of ground which was assigned or conveyed to Henry Gerrity and Anna Gerrity his wife, of the township of Conyngham, County and State aforesaid, to the aforesaid Celia Garrity by assignments dated the first day of September, A. D. 1885, together with the hereditaments and appurtenances.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of The Citizens Building and Loan Association of Centralia versus Edward Gerrity and Celia Gerrity, and to be sold as the property of Edward Gerrity and Celia Gerrity.

BARKLEY, Atty. JOHN MOUREY, Sheriff.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Alem Whitmire, late of Centre (township), Columbia County, deceased,

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Alem Whitmire late of Centre township, Columbia County, deceased have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to ELIAS YOUNG, Administrator.

4-1-6-w.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the undersigned and to all persons whom it may concern that he will apply to the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County for the benefit of the insolvent laws of this Commonwealth, on Monday morning, May 2, 1892, at ten o'clock of said day, at which time any person having any objection to his final discharge as an insolvent debtor can appear and make the same known. DANIEL KASHNER.

HERRING, Atty. 4-1-4t.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 1892.

GREENWOOD.

We have very muddy roads in this section at the present time.

Harry Heacock who has been working on Frank Reece's saw mill is sick with Pleurisy.

The Farmers are busy working up wood for summer use.

Quite a number of Farmers will change places this week. Charles Wright moves on Mrs. Frank Kline's farm. Geo. Brunstetter on the W. B. Mather & Bro. farm, Wm. M'Bride on the E. J. Albertson farm, Harry Shoemaker on the Mrs. James Patterson farm, now occupied by Isaiah Kline who moves on one of Jackson's large farms near Berwick. He expects to drive farming on in a large scale, useing four teams. We wish him success, as a good neighbor and likewise a good Farmer. He has two grown daughters and three grown sons and expects to do the work within his family.

J. F. Bogert who has been working at the Barber trade at Williamsport for the last eight years, moves on the Joseph Lemon (Deceased) farm near Rohrsburg this spring.

J. W. Evans has just got his chopping and saw mill completed, and is now running it to full capacity.

O J. Merrel was compelled to kill one of their horses a few days ago, caused by a kick from another horse which ended in the breaking of its leg.

That young man from Pine summit who comes to Greenwood on Saturday sparking must get sick of his trip as he does not return until Monday morning. I guess it is love sick.

John C. Parker has completed a chopping mill and is running it a couple days each week.

Henry Parker is busy getting stone and lumber on the ground where he expects to build a large and commodious barn next summer.

Geo. Miller was away a few days ago on a business trip, purchasing a new Traction Engine which he expects to run his separator with next summer, instead of the old one that had to be pulled around by horses Any one having thrashing they want done next summer, will be satisfied if they call on him for he understands the business.

The stock on the Merrel farm has been increasing very fast lately as they have a ewe that had triplets and a cow had twin calves

The Public schools have all closed in Greenwood.

There was a very pleasant surprise party by the Grangers of Greenwood at B. F. Battin's last Thursday and it was a complete surprise as Mr. and Mrs. Battin had gone to see their daughter at Millville that morning. After being sent for they returned and to their surprise found about fifty Grangers had taken possession and a large table spread in the dining room with cakes and apples and plenty of oysters. The after noon was spent with vocal and instrumental music and a good social chat, until about 4 o'clock when they returned to their homes thinking they had a good time. It would do well for some of those people who say the Grangers are playing out to visit some of the Granger meetings and Institutes held in Greenwood and they will change their minds about them in this twp. and if there is any of those candidates come out to be re-elected again who promised to work to the Farmers interest equal with other interests and did not, when they come up through here reaching out their soft white hand with smiling countenance, they will have the cold shoulder turned toward them.

A FARMER.

Mrs. Million's Ride.

When Mrs. Million goes out to ride she travels forth in state, Her horses, full of fire and pride, go prancing from the gate; But all the beauties of the day she views with languid eye, Her flesh in weakness wastes away. her voice is but a sigh.

For Mrs. Million is in an advanced stage of catarrh, and all the luxuries that wealth can buy fail to give her comfort. She envies her rosy waiting-maid, and would give all her riches for that young woman's pure breath and blooming health. Now, if some true and disinterested friend would advise Mrs. Million of the wonderful merits of Dr. Sage's Cattarrh Remedy. she would learn that her case is not past help. $500 reward is offered by the manufacturers for a case of catarrh in the head which they cannot cure.

DEAR READER.

(The following is the alleged poem which we offered to print if the writer was willing to have it published just as it is written. We have his consent, so here goes:)

1. the world she is a bother place
for young and old together
sometime she lockt so nicely in your Face
a minute after comt bad weather.

2. dont trust her mutch and give a way
and stay alone you can
and let her have fair play
and be an early man

3. pay all your bill and labor men
and take out hundred per cent
good news is around so quick as the wind
and everybody is your friend.

4. and now when your clock is run down
and can not be wound up again
from heaven coms a nicely sound.
God want you to, come to him

5. every thing growes in the world
the nicest is corn field
a hiding place for bear and Wolf
the bottom soft like silk

6. no body seen you laying in their
you cau do what you please
only keep the children fair
for then theay cannot see

7. take hold on your big nose fust
before you grab at my
dont mark my Name on you bad list

dear lover lover my.

A. W.

An Ohio lady was so frightened by a snake that her glossy black hair turned white as snow. It was soon returned to its original color by Hall's Hair Renewer.

OUR SAVING FUND.

THE PEOPLES CHOICE.

The Directors of the Bloomsburg board of the Mutual Guarantee Building and Loan Association will issue 500 shares of stock during April. To accommodate all persons who desire to lay aside a few dollars every month, at a large rate of interest, the secretary, T. J. Vanderslice Esq. is authorized to receive applications at his office in the Sentinel building every week day during the month, and Saturdays from 7 to 8:30 p. m. Will also receive applications for loans.

Shares $100 each. Cost of stock $1.00 per share. Dues 75 cents per share per month, maturing guaranteed stock in about 7 years, and non-guaranteed in about 6½ years. You can take any number of shares from one up. One share will mature $100. Five shares, $500 and ten shares $1000. On each ten shares and up. If applicant undergoes a satisfactory Medical examination a guarantee is given that in the event of death, the full $100, on each share will be paid in cash at once. and in the case of a borrower, the morgage be canceled and the home left free to the wife and little ones. Women can hold shares in their own names.

This is your opportunity to secure a profitable investment.

B. F. Sharpless.
Geo. A. Herring.
T. J. Vanderslice, Esq.
J. B. Robison, Esq.
Frank Ikeler.
Hugh McReynolds, M. D.
Thos. Gorrey.
I. W. Willits, M. D.
4-1-4t-* Directors.

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in Millinery goods. All the latest City trimmed hats, all the New York styles, including a large assortment of ribbons of all shades and good quality. Opening to commence Saturday April 9th

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Full lines now shown at lowest prices both in Lace and Chenille, also in curtain poles.

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Glasses fitted free of charget J. G. Wells.' All work guaranteed a

BERWICK AND VICINITY.

Nescopeck and Berwick look like a moving panorama, or floating junk shop. Old and new furniture on wheels seeking new homes and shelter.

Williams, the popular vendue salesman of Bloomsburg, visited Berwick on Saturday last and finished up a sale of the Dan'l. Sult estate. Williams is busy everywhere, and is one of the best salesman along the Susquehanna.

Ten nights in a Bar room was one of the best shows of the season. Clark's recent lecture is highly spoken of as the closing of our lecture course. Many have moved and many are going to move.

A few friends had recently a pleasant time at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. P. Hill, the occasion of their 6th wedding anniversary. Mrs. Mansfield has just returned from N. Y. with a heavy line of millinery goods and engaged the services of an excellent milliner there.

A number of our fine young ladies gave a leap year party in P. O. S. of A. hall recently.

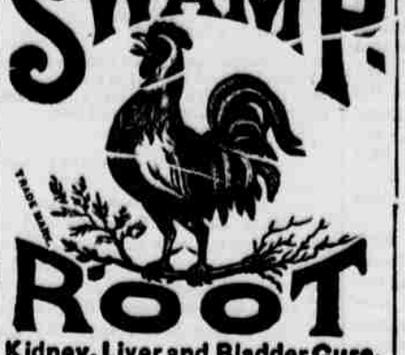
B. K. Bells, J. M. Fowler, carpenters and E. P. Wolf, painter have been doing some fine work at the Cross Keys hotel transforming the interior of the old bar room into a tonsorial room and cigar room and the old sitting room into a bar room, aside from the imitation of brick on the outside. This work recommends the boys to long jobs this spring and summer. Work comes to them on wheels already prepared to be executed.

The last great attempt of one of our citizens is to sit straddle on another man's whiskers.

Prof. Wolf, of Wyoming Seminary is happy—a bouncing boy of 14 avoirdupois. Several weddings to bloom this spring. Emanuel Frantz is putting an addition to his home. Dr. Jekyl and Mr. Hyde will be presented in Opera House Monday Evening April 11th. Jos. Schain has recently returned from N. Y. buying goods. W. W. Hanly recently returned from New Orleans and the South after a protracted visit. F. E. Brockway has returned from the land of flowers. The west end of town has recently lost by the process of death a supufluous lot of dogs that have gone to the canineland whence no dog returns. Nescopeck is on the look up, new homes going up every where. Chas. Williams the owner and former proprietor of Susquehanna house, sports a magnificent team, a chance for somebody to make a fine purchase.

Mrs. J. F. Opdyke of Easton, Mr. and Mrs. Martin of Beaver Meadow have been visiting in town. J. F. Opdyke spent a long service in the employ of Jackson & Woodin Manufacturing Co., rising from one position to another; was one of our efficient, and valuable citizens; is now engaged with Mr. Smith, one of our prominent merchants in the manufacture of brushes etc., at Easton, Pa. These gentlemen have many friends in this community, who wish them every success in their new field of labors and the city of their adoption. Berwick's loss is Easton's gain. Sheriff Mourey recently called upon 13 of our citizens to serve as jurors. Should the public building bill pass the Lower House, our real estate men will make the effort for a site in Berwick for a building. Rev. and Mrs. C. F. VanGorder are holding a series of successful meetings in Y. M. C A. The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church gave a musicale lately that met with excellent success. Water in the canal and navigation at an early date. Mr. Hudson Owen who has been supervisor on the canal for many years and widely known as a business man, has gone strongly into the sale of coal. His buildings and bins are along the canal just above the river bridge, the capacity of which are very ample for storage and sale. He proposes to open up largely this season; did an extensive business last season.

DR. KILMER'S SWAMP-ROOT



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Rheumatism,

Lumbago, pain in joints or back, brick dust in urine, frequent calls, irritation, inflamation, gravel, ulceration or catarrh of bladder.

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Impaired digestion, gout, billious-headache, SWAMP-ROOT cures kidney difficulties, *La Grippe*, urinary trouble, bright's disease.

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A lady writes a letter for publication believing it will interest many suffering from Rheumatism.

(From the Chenango Union, Norwich, N. Y).

McDonough, Chenango Co., N. Y.

Dr. Kilmer, Binghamton, N. Y.

Kind Sir:- I had been troubled for years with that terrible disease Rheumatism and last Spring, a year ago, I was *confined to my bed* and could *scarcely move or stir.* Could not bear to have any one walk across the room or make any noise of any kind. Was also troubled with Female Weakness and was *completely used up.* I had doctored with the best Physicians I could get, but grew worse all the time. Having read of your Remedies I at last made up my mind to try them. I had very little faith for I thought, perhaps, they were no better than lots of others that I had used before without any benefit. But thanks be to God and also to you, I tried them and found it to my benefit. I only took *two bottles* of your *Swamp-Root* and one of Female Remedy and used one bottle of your U & O Anointment and was *completely cured.*

It is now over one year since I was troubled and yet I have not felt a single touch or return of the old complaints. I think I was better before I had taken one-half of the first bottle. I now believe and have more faith in you than any other doctor on earth.

If this will be of any benefit to you or others, you can publish it and if need be *I can prove* it by more than *twenty good* and *reliable people* in this vicinity.

God bless you and yours and with great respect. Mrs. Leroy G. Coville,

[The preceding testimonial was set up in this office from the original letter written by Mrs. Coville. EDITORS OF UNION]

Five thousand dollars is offered to any one who will prove any portion of this testimony untrue. Hundreds of similar letters are received daily by the proprietors of Swamp-Root.

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STOVES, STOVES.

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"HE THAT KNOWS

And knows he knows, is wise," says the Arabian proverb. Once realize that rheumatism, gout, neuralgia, dyspepsia, skin disease, liver and kidney troubles all originate in impure blood, and that the great Brazilian remedy, Cactus Blood Cure, will promptly and surely neutralize and remove any blood poison, and you will be wise.

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I am an Old Man.

Shall be 79 years of age next June, and for the last six years have suffered from general debility and old age. At times I could not get out of bed without help. I commenced to take Sulphur Bitters. In a week I felt stronger and got a mighty fine appetite. I still continued their use, and to-day I walked overthree miles without feeling tired, something I haven't done in five years before. Sulphur Bitters is a right smart medicine.—*George Brown Keokuk, Iowa.* 3-18-2t.

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF BLOOM POOR DISTRICT.

From January 12, 1891 to January 11, 1892.

JOHN K. GROTZ, Treasurer.

DR.

Balance in hand of Treasurer January 12, 1891		$ 946 58
Cash received on Bloom Duplicate	1890	1306 07
Cash rec'd on Bloom. Duplicate	1891	1000 00
" " " Greenwood "	1890	448 41
" " " " "	1891	400 00
" " " Scott "	1888	196 92
" " " " "	1890	514 72
" " " " "	1891	110 00
" " " Sugarloaf "	1890	173 57
" " " " "	1891	115 22
" " from Hester Sterner		26 96
" " " Overseer Hemlock twp.		53 00
" " " proceeds of farm		256 24
" " " note		492 17
		$ 6019 85

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By old orders redeemed	$ 82 36	
By new " "	4349 33	
By note	500 00	
By commission and postage	99 03	
By balance in hands of Treas. January 11th. 1892	989 13	
		$ 6019 85
Orders outstanding Jan. 11th. 1891	$ 82 36	
Orders issued from January 12th 1891 to Jan. 11th 1892	4373 43	
		$ 4455 79
Orders of 1890 redeemed	$ 82 36	
Orders of 1891 redeemed	4349 33	
Orders outstanding Jan. 11th. 1892	24 10	
		$ 4455 79

EXPENSES FOR YEAR ENDING JAN. 11th. 1892.

Provisions and Supplies	$ 225 19
Fuel and Light	75 45
Clothing, Shoes and Furniture	28 85
Dry Goods	24 79
Medical Supplies	18 18
Ordinary Repairs	82 16
Traveling Expenses	5 11
Farm Expenses	38 54
Incidental Expenses	12 65
Orders Relief	17 50
Smith Work	14 53
Printing	3 00
Tax on Brown House	2 60
Books and Stationary	4 62
Expense of taking Bessie Dodson to Elwyn, Pa.	12 56
S. F. Peacock Affidavits	1 00
Repairing Wind Mill	11 10
A. Swisher for horse	7 00
Printing Statement 1891	45 00
Coffin, Mrs. Brown, P. House	8 00
Two coffins for Benj. Tyson's children	34 00
Postage	1 50
Bradford Co. for Medical attendance and Burial of Shotts	46 50
Clothing for George Evans, Elwyn, Pa.	10 00
J. A. Opp, Atty's Fees, Evans case	10 00
M. P. Lutz Insuring Farm Buildings	52 50
Cattle bought for farm	15 00
M C. Woodward, lookin after tramps 1891	10 00
Alexander Bros. & Co. Tobacco	24 35
Thomas McBride, Steward	650 00
Dr. Jacob Schuyler	100 00
J. M. Larish	100 00
A. C. Hidlay	100 00
C. A. Klein	100 00
Dr. McReynolds	60 00
Dr. Redeker	60 00
Dr. Arment	10 00
Mrs. McBride, Matron	50 00
Auditors and Clerk 1891	25 00
Total Current Expenses	$ 2110 78

INSANE IN STATE HOSPITAL.

George Fox 52 1-7 w'ks.	@ $1.75	$ 91 25
Jesse Kelly " "	@ 1.75	91 25
L. Z. Kahler " "	@ 1.75	91 25
John Boyd " "	@ 2.75	91 50
Alza Sterner " "	@ 1.72	91 25
Alza Sterner Repairing teeth.		2 50
Wm. Fry 52 17 w'ks.	@ $1.75	91 25
Garrie Turre 152 17 weeks @ 75		91 25
Agnes Mason 52 1-7 weeks @ 175		91 25
		$ 732 75

OUT DOOR RELIEF.

M. May, Bloom	$ 52 00
M. Dawson "	65 09
Caroline Smith Bloom	89 20
Hester Bomboy, Scott	139 73
Hannah Randall, Bloom	115 53
Eph. Parks "	24 00
Fred C. Hess, Sugarloaf	43 25
J R. Hess	26 50
Geo. Jacoby, Bloom	49 29
Hiram Long "	43 50
Cornelious Coleman, Bloom	29 00
Benj. Tyson, Bloom	78 55
Clarance Graham, Scott	31 00
Wm. Hopper "	17 00
Robert Cook, "	17 90
Thomas Arndt, Bloom	47 30
Mrs. Albert Cadow, Bloom	149 80
John Alberson, Greenwood	6 70
Mrs, Geo. Vannatta, "	23 00
John Kramer, Bloom	18 00
Michael O'Neal, Scott	5 00
Jacob Mussleman, Scott	28 37
Samuel Stills, Bloom	8 00
Wm. Shoemaker, Bloom	1 00
Earnest Bower, Greenwood	41 40
Mrs. Harriet Creasy, Bloom	2 30
Bertha Long, Bloom	8 05
John Thrash, "	4 00
Mrs. W. Metz, "	28 50
Jacob Johnson, "	12 14
Rantz Dehard, "	1 00
Mr. C. Hall, "	4 00
George Samules "	90 00
Joseph Long, "	5 55
Mrs. Thomas Metherel, Jr., Bloom	15 00
Mrs. Veats, Bloom	3 00
Reuben Snyder, Scott	47 86
Wm. Evans, "	2 00
Aaron Shotts, Sugarloaf	10 74
Mrs. Lloyd Giger, Bloom	3 00
Mrs. Catharine Hamilton Greenwood	41 46
Ada Yhoe, Bloom	18 52
Mr. Charles Remly	3 50
Warren Ingold, Bloom	3 00
Charles Strass, Sugarloaf	15 09
Charles Hock, Bloom	8 74
Wm. Livey, Lancaster, Pa	40 00
Jacob Adams, Sugarloaf	2 73 $ 1529 90
	$ 4373 43

We the undersigned Auditors of the townships comprising the Bloom Poor District," met at the Alms House on the second Monday of January 1892 that being the 11th. examined the accounts of the Treasurer and Directors from January 12th. 1891 to January 11th. 1892 and the vouchers for the same and find them correct as sent forth above.

ISAAC HEACOCK,
A. F. TERWILLIGER,
D. H. STEADMAN,
A. N. YOST, } Auditors.

PRODUCTS RAISED ON FARM 1891.

383 Bushels Wheat	$ 338 00
351 Bushels Oats	74 35
1019 Bushels Corn ears	254 75
137 Bushels Potatoes	68 50
11 Bushels Turnips	4 50
4 Bushels Beets	2 00
3 Bushels Unions	1 50
3 Bushels Beans	6 00
20 Tons of Hay	240 00
1461 Sheaves Corn Fodder	73 05
2311 lbs. Pork @ 6c	139 86
441 lbs. Lard	35 28
1025 Heads Cabbage	51 25
420 lbs Beef	21 00
27 Bushels Peaches	27 00
12 Shoats raised	39 00
55 Chickens	13 75
13 Guineas	2 00
3 Turkeys	4 00
1 Colt	40 00
578 lbs. Butter	115 60
1½ Bbls. Krout	7 50
1 Bbl. Vinegar	5 00
10 Bushels Tomatoes	5 00
	$ 1579 49

VALUE OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY belonging to the Bloom. Poor District Jan. 11th. 1892.

	Balance due on duplicate. Deft.	Paid.	Bal.
Bloom. 1891	$3042 50	$1000 00	$2042 54
Scott, 1891	1002 62	100 10	802 62
Greenwood,	806 27	400 00	406 27
Sugarloaf '90	321 82	263 57	58 82
Sugarloaf, '91	358 94	115 22	243 72
			$3733 40
Less Estimate Exonerations and Commissions			350 00
			$3383 40
Farm and Buildings			13000 00
4 Horses			280 00
2 Colts			100 00
9 Head of Cattle			216 00
12 Shoats			39 00
2 Sows			20 00
4 Turkeys			5 00
9 Guineas			1 00
80 Chickens			20 00
1800 lbs. Pork @ 6c			109 00
400 lbs. Lard @ 8c			32 00
400 lbs. Beef @ 6c			24 00
75 Bushels Potatoes			37 50
10 Bushels Turnips			2 50
183 Bushels Wheat			183 00
140 Bushels Oats			49 00
3 Bushels of Beets			1 50
3 Bushels of Onions			1 50
15 Tons of Hay			180 00
900 Sheaves Corn Fodder			45 00
75 lbs. Butter			15 00
1 Bbl. Saurkraut			5 00
500 Heads Cabbage			25 00
2 Bushels Beans			4 00
1 Bbl. Vinegar			6 00
800 Bushels Corn Ears			200 00
18 Acres Winter grain in ground			126 00
4 Tons of Coal			12 00
Furniture in Alms House			200 00
Furniture in Stewards' House			150 00
Farm Implements			600 00
			$ 19092 89

No. Paupers remaining in Alms House last report	10	
No. admitted during year	7	17
No. Discharged during year	5	
No. Died during year	2	
No. Persons in Poor House Bloom	4	
No. Persons in Poor House Scott	1	
No. Persons in Poor House Greenwood	4	
No. Persons in Poor House Sugarloaf	1	10

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ATTEST: C. A. KLEIM, Secretary.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court the undersigned Administrator will expose to public sale on the premises on

FRIDAY APRIL 8th. 1892

at 10 oclock in the forenoon of said day the following describedtracts of real estate to-wit;

TRACT NO. 1.—Situate in Madison township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded and discribed as follows to-wit: Beginning at a stone corner of land of Thomas Ball, thence north seventeen and one half degrees east eighty three perches to a stone; thence by land of John Doctor north seventy two degrees west one hundred and forty nine perches to a stone; thence by land of Adam Spring south eleven and one fourth degrees west eighty six and three tenths percees to a stone; thence by land of the Ellis heirs south sixty four and one fourth degrees east forty six perches to a chestnut stump, thence south sixteen degrees east fifty two perches to an oak; thence north eighty six degrees east seventy and six tenths perches to a stone; thence by land of John Spring north forty-five degrees west nine and five tenth perches to a stone; thence north twenty one degrees west thirty four perches to a stone; thence south seventy two and one half degrees east thirty and seven tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing eighty four acres of land, more or less.

TRACT NO. 2.—Situate in the same township bounded and described as follows to-wit: Beginning at a corner of the line of the heirs of David Vandine, deceased, thence north sixteen degrees east twenty-one and five tenth perches to a chestnut oak in the line of Thomas Ball, thence north seventy four degrees west thirty perches to the road leading to Smith's mill; thence south twenty one degrees east seven perches and five tenths to a post in the line of the heirs of David Vandine, deceased, thence along the same east one perch to place of beginning, containing three acres of land, more or less.

Upon Tract No. 1 Is erected a two-story frame dwelling house and a large

BANK BARN

and other convenient out-buildings and splendid orchard with all kinds of fruit trees. The land is in good state of cultivation. A never failing spring close to the house and barn. About sixty acres of land is cleared and the balance is well timbered.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of one fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property. The balance of one fourth at the confirmation absolute. The other three fourths in one year with interest from confirmation nisi. All deeds and necessary instruments of writing to be made at the expense of the purchaser. All personal property on the premises and grain in the ground is hereby reserved. Possesion will be given at the time of confirmation absolute, providing the one fourth of the purchase money shall be paid at that time. WILSON CONFER.

HERRING, Atty. Admr. of Michael Confer, deceased.

J. A. Bardo, Auctioneer.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of pluries fi. fa. issued out of the court of common pleas of Columbia county and to me directed will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, Pa., on

SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 1892,

at 2 o'clock p. m. the following described real estate, to-wit: All that certain lot of ground situate on Fifth street in the Borough of Berwick, county aforesaid, bounded and discribed as follows: On the north by an alley, on the south by Fifth street, on the east by lot of William McEwen, on the west by lot of Tillman Varner, on which are erected a two story

FRAME DWELLING

house and out buildings.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of S. C. Jayne and Emma G. Jackson vs. L. W. Hertz. and Marta E. Breed, and to be sold as the property of Maria E. Breed.

JACKSON, Atty. JOHN MOUREY, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Vend. Ex. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Col Co., Pa., and to me directed. will be exposed at public sale at the Court House, Bloomsburg, Pa., on

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 1892,

at 2 o'clock p. m., all that certain, piece, tract or parcel of land situate in Beaver twp., Columbia county, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and discribed as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at stones by fallen pine, thence by land of C. S. Cox, Esq., north seventy-one and a half degrees west one hundred and fifty-eight and three-tenth perches to stones a corner of land surveyed for Barbara Klingaman, thence by same north seventeen and a half degrees east ninety-one perches to stones, thence by land late of Christian Klingaman north seventy-six and a half degrees east one hundred and forty perches to a post in public road, thence along the same south forty-one and a fourth degrees, east forty-four and six-tenth perches to stones thence by land of Garret Vanblaragan and others, south seventeen and a half degrees west one hundred and forty perches to the place of beginning containing

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOUR ACRES,

and allowance, be the same more or less. Where on is erected a two story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

Bank Barn and other Outbuildings.

Seized taken into execution at the suit of John Elfert versus Thomas Downs. and to be sold as the property of Thomas Downs.

ZARR, 5-13 Atty. JOHN MOUREY, Sheriff.

COLUMBUS.

Behind him lay the gray Azores,
Behind the gates of Hercules;
Before him not the ghost of shores,
Before him only shoreless seas.
The good mate said: "Now must we pray,
For lo! the very stars are gone.
Speak, Admiral, what shall I say?"
"Why say, 'Sail on! sail on! and on!' "

"My men grow mutinous day by day;
My men grow ghastly wan and weak."
The stout mate thought of home; a spray
Of salt wave washed his swarthy cheek.
"What shall I say, brave Admiral, say,
If we sight naught but seas at dawn?"
"Why, you shall say at break of day:
'Sail on! sail on! and on! and on!' "

They sailed and sailed, as winds might blow,
Until at last the blanched mate said:
"Why, now, not even God would know
Should I and all my men fall dead.
These very winds forget their way,
For God from these dread seas is gone.
Now speak, brave Admiral, speak and say—"
He said: "Sail on! sail on! and on!"

They sailed. They sailed. Then spoke his mate:
"This mad sea shows its teeth to-night.
He curls his lip, he lies in wait,
With lifted teeth, as if to bite!
Brave Admiral, say but one good word:
What shall we do when hope is gone?"
The words leaped as a leaping sword:
"Sail on! sail on! sail on! and on!"

Then, pale and worn, he kept his deck,
And peered through darkness. Ah, that night
Of all dark nights! And then a speck—
A light! A light! A light! A light!
It grew, a starlit flag unfurled!
It grew to be Time's burst of dawn,
He gained a world; he gave that world
Its grandest lesson; "On! and on!"

—Joaquin Miller in the Argonaut.

DO SHARKS BITE?

Assertions That They Will Not Attack a Swimmer.

On the question whether sharks will attack men when swimming, a correspondent of the New York *Sun* writes as follows:

I was on a Pacific mail steamer in the Bay of Champerico. The water was clear and we counted seven sharks, ranging from about seven to eleven feet in length. We got out a shark hook and line and baited it with pork.

Our principal assistant was a little chap who had just finished his time in the navy. While we were at luncheon a shark took a bite at the bait. The young seaman was too hasty, and as a result the big fish was badly hooked and dropped off when hauled about a foot out of the water.

However, our young friend seemed to know a lot about shark fishing and sharks, the result of his many cruises, and when stories were told of men bitten by sharks he scoffed and put it to the test of experiments. To the consternation of nearly everybody he dived from the gangway and swam around to the spot where the sharks were awaiting the kitchen refuse. In every instance where one of them happened to see him it acted as if scared, and moved rapidly in another direction. It was the same in the bay at St. Jose, Guatemala.

At that place there is a big spotted shark whom tourists easily recognize as an old friend, and call "Joe." The little sailor chap swam after him, and he swam in front of him and in front of others. Several sharks must have seen the boy, but none showed the slightest inclination to attack. He said the same thing had been tried before many a time, and that nobody in the navy now believed that there was any danger of attack from sharks when swimming, although it was possible that they might take a snap at a dead floating body.

GEOGRAPHICAL ODDITIES.

Some Little Wonders of the Western World.

On Lummi Island, State of Washington, there is a mountain slope of white sandstone, 100 feet wide and 1,800 feet long, called the Devil's Slide. The strange thing about it is, that every few minutes a scale of sandstone comes shooting down the slide and is hurled into the waters of the bay. The unsolved mystery is this: What causes the scales to detach themselves in this unique fashion?

Medical Lake is fifteen miles by rail from the city of Spokane Falls, State of Washington. The lake is two miles long, half a mile wide, and sixty feet deep. It is filled with a saline and alkaline water, having a slightly chalybeate admixture, and is a popular health resort for the people of the northwest.

Sour Lake is a small lake of acidulous mineral water, in Hardin county, Texas, forty-five miles by rail east of Houston. Its waters have a considerable local reputation in the treatment of various diseases.

There is said to be a canon on the slopes of Mount Baker (in the State of Washington), the walls of which are composed of a kind of volcanic glass.—Notes and Queries.

Indian Courage.

The annals of no country can show any savage foe so formidable for his number to trained regular troops of the white race as the American Indian. The tales of the Sepoy rebellion, replete as they are with heroic achievements of British soldiers, read like absurd fairy tales to Indian fighters of our army. The spectacle, repeated again and again, of a score or so of these Englishmen riding through as many thousands of opposing Sepoys, disciplined, an thoroughly supplied with the best of firearms would be a very novel one to those accustomed to the temper of the savage of our own continent. Had Captain Jack or Joseph or Geronimo, with such warriors as they led, been the sort of foes to attack the English power in India, the history of Delhi and Lucknow would have been written in far darker characters on the pages of English history. Self-reliant, intelligent, fierce in battle, inimitable horsemen, armed with the modern rifle, our own Indians have often waged successful battle with regular troops unsurpassed in quality and far outnumbering them. It is doubtful if even the Cossack or Arab can be compared with them in partisan warfare.

White Tar.

White tar is one of the latest inventions or discoveries. It will not become soft under the sun's rays in any climate, and is expected to be used largely in calking the seams of fine yachts.

THE JAPANESE WAITRESS.

A Vision of Perfection That Seems to Americans Impossible.

The Japanese waitress is evidently a creature full of kindliness and winning graces. Sir Edwin Arnold met her at a dinner in Japan, where she contributed greatly by her tact and courtesy to the success of the occasion. To each guest there entered a pretty, bright, well-dressed Japanese waitress with hair decked "to the nines," stuck full of flowers and jeweled pins and shining like polished black marble.

She never speaks or settles to any serious duty of the entertainment without falling on her little knees, smoothing her skirt over them and knocking her nice little flat nose on the floor, and will either demurely watch you use your chopsticks in respectful silence, or prettily converse and even offer her advice as to the most succulent dishes, and the best order in which to do them justice.

It is not very difficult to use the chopsticks, those simple knives and forks of Eastern Asia, if once you learn the secret of the guiding finger between them. Otherwise you will drop the first mouthful from the soup bowl on your shirt front, to the gentle, but nevertheless satirical laughter of your waitress.

Amid the talk which buzzes around you will have inquired of her already, "What is your honorable name?" and "How many are your honorable years?" and she will have told you that she is "Miss Starr," "Miss Camillia," or "Miss Antelope," and that she was 18 or otherwise on her last birthday.

She counsels you to seize that tiny lump of yellow condiment with your chopsticks, to drop it in the soy, to stir up and flavor these with the pink flakes of salmon, and you get on famously, watched by her with the warmest personal interest.

Now and again she shuffles forward on her small knees to fill your cup or to rearrange the confusion into which your little bowls and platters have somehow fallen, always with a consummate grace, modesty and good breeding. With the condiments her little fingers have mixed, the uncooked trout is so good that you cease presently to feel like a voracious seal, and wonder if it be not wrong, after all to boil or fry anything.

Environed by all these tiny dishes, and lightly fluttering from one to another, you begin at last to be conscious of having dined extraordinarily well. So you say, "*Mo yoroshii*"(it is enough), and the service relapses a little for music and dancing.—Youth's Companion.

WHAT TO TEACH A DAUGHTER.

How to Make of Her a True and Noble Woman.

Teach her that not only must she love her father and mother, but honor them in word and deed.

That work is worthy always when it is well done.

That the value of money is just the good it will do in life, but that she ought to know and appreciate this value.

That the man who wishes to marry her is the one who tells her so and is willing to work for her, and not the one who whispers silly love speeches and forgets that men cease to be men when they have no object in life.

That her best confidant is always her mother, and that no one sympathizes with her in her pleasures and joys as you do.

Teach her to think well before she says no or yes, but to mean it when she does.

Teach her to avoid men who speak lightly of any of the great duties of life, who show in their appearance that their habits are bad.

Teach her that her own room is her nest, and that to make it sweet and attractive is a duty as well as a pleasure.

Teach her that if she can sing or read or draw, or give pleasure in any way by her accomplishments, she is selfish and unkind if she does not do this gladly.

Teach her to be a woman—self-respecting, honest, loving and kind, and then you will have a daughter who will be a pleasure to you always, and whose days will be long and joyous in the land which the Lord has given her.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Illusions of Great Men.

Goethe states that he one day saw the exact counterpart of himself coming toward him.

Pope saw an arm apparently coming through the wall, and made inquiries after its owner.

Byron often received visits from a spectre, but he knew it to be a creation of the imagination.

Dr. Johnson heard his mother call his name in a clear voice, though she was at the time in another city.

Baron Emmanuel Swedenborg believed that he had the privilege of interviewing persons in the spirit world.

Sir Joshua Reynolds, leaving his house, thought the lamps were trees, and the men and women bushes agitated by the breeze.

Ravaillac, while chanting the "Miserere" and "De Profundis," believed that the sounds he emitted were of the nature and had the full effect of a trumpet.

Oliver Cromwell, lying sleepless on his couch, saw the curtains open and a gigantic woman appear, who told him that he would become the greatest man in England.

Ben Jonson spent the watches of the night an interested spectator of a crowd of Tartars, Turks, and Roman Catholics who rose up and fought round his arm-chair till sunrise.

Bostok, the physiologist, saw figures and faces, and there was one human face constantly before him for 24 hours, the features and headgear as distinct as those of a living person.

Oats As a Brain Food.

The Paris School of Philosopy has recently conducted experiments as to the value of oats as a food, which seems to show that the kernel contains three medicinal principals, the first of which tends to calm, soothe and tone up the brain and general nerve tissues, the second yielding phosphates for the weakened and hungry nerves, and the third, residing in the husk of the oat acting as a laxative by its action on the digestive track.

The Bird of Wisdom.

The owl took his hat and his gloves one night,
His sweetheart for to see;
When his daddy asked him where he went,
"On a definite object I'm intent,
"To wit, to woo," said he,
"To wit, to wit, to woo!"

But he scarce had stepped outside the door,
When he could not fail to see
That the sky with clouds was all o'ercast,
The rain was falling hard and fast.
"Too wet to woo," said he;
"Too wet, too wet, to woo!"
—Harvard Lampoon.

A Horse With Feelings.

A lame and half starved old white horse, attached to a wagon partly loaded with ashes, stood on John R street, near Adams, and a schoolboy about 10 years old stood with his hands in his pockets looking at the horse, says the Detroit *Journal*.

The owner of the rig came out of the cellar with a basket of ashes on his shoulder, and after dumping them into the wagon, he turned to the boy and said:

"Look yere, boy, what yo' doin' yere?"

"Lookin'," was the reply.

"What you lookin' at?"

"Lookin' at the horse."

"Wall, you run right 'long 'bout your bizness. Dat hoss has got feelin's. If you keep lookin' at him he'll bimeby think he's got to get up and prance and snort around an' run away an' smash dis wagin' all to squash. Den de queshun comes up who's gwine to pay de damages, an' your pore fadder will wish you had nebber been bo'n."

"I guess I can look!" muttered the boy as he moved off.

"I dun tole ye, boy! I shan't bodder wid you no mo'! If your fadder is wurf a millyon dollars an' you want to take de chances den you go right ahead; but doan' you dun sw'ar befo' de jedge dat I didn't tole you dat hoss had feelin's an' might kick up the awfulest ambulashun eber heard on John R street."

Mr. Blank's Hilarity Was Ill-Timed.

A well known citizen who resides in the northern part of town when he went out bareheaded this morning after the paper found a hat lying on the sidewalk in front of his gate, says the Stockton *Mail*. Some fellow while on a spree during the night must have lost it, he thought. The hat was a little the worse for mud, but the hat was a good one and he picked it up and took it in to show his wife.

"Mary," he said, "just look what I've found."

"Why, that's a real nice hat, John," she said.

"Well, I should smile."

"Where in the world did you find it?"

"Oh, out on the sidewalk."

"But how did it get there?"

"Get there?" he echoed, in surprise. "Well, that's a nice question to ask. Get there? Great Scott! Do you think it grew like a mushroom—hey? Mebbe you imagine it walked there on its ear. Get there? Why, any fool would know that some chap lost it on a howling drunk."

"But he might claim it?" she interposed, mildly.

"Oh, no—I'll bet he was so full he can't remember now whether he slept in a barn or a bed. Say, that's a pretty good hat, Mary, and I'll get you to fix it up. By jingo, it's just my fit, too." And he tried it on.

She took the hat and examined it carefully. Then a dangerous look stole into her eyes and she snapped:

"John Blank, you're an old fool!"

"I am, hey?"

"Yes, you are!"

"Why?"

"This is your hat."

He snatched the tile up, looked at it critically and then dashed out of the house as he recalled to mind the fact that he himself had come home very late.

Pat's Device.

The following incident, told by the Utica *Times*, of the method employed by a clever son of Erin to induce his passengers to walk up hill, shows that a graceful, witty hint is pretty sure to prove irresistible.

Up one of the long hills of County Wicklow a mare was drawing a heavy load of travelers. The driver walked by her side, trying to encourage her as she toiled slowly and wearily along.

The six passengers were too busily engaged in conversation to notice how slowly the car progressed. Presently the driver opened the door at the rear of the car and slammed it to again. Those inside started, but thought that he was only assuring himself that the door was securely closed.

Again Pat opened and slammed to the door. The travelers inquired angrily why he disturbed them in that manner.

"Whist," he whispered, "don't spake so loud—she'll overhear us."

"Who?"

"The mare. Spake low," he continued, putting his hand over his mouth and nose. "Sure, I'm desavin' the crayture! Every time she hears the door slammin' that way she thinks one of yez is gettin' down to walk up the hill, and that raises her sperrits."

The passengers took the hint.

A Needed Warning.

Oh, never converse with a dynamite fiend,
Tho' harmless to you he may seem,
For he with his creed is so well magazined,
So brimmed to the lip with his scheme,

So utterly crammed with the same thro' and thro'
That if on the theme you'd embark,
A deadly explosion would likely ensue
If he'd happen to drop a remark.
—Boston Courier.

Henry was visiting a relative who had a large attic full of old things. One day when he had been playing up there, he came running down stairs and shouted: "Cousin Anna, what do you think I found in the attic? I found a Bible with an apothecary in it."

Mrs. Youngwife—I want a nice ham, please. Shopman—Yes, ma'am. I can strongly recommend this one; it's well cured. Mrs. Youngwife (in alarm)—Oh, don't give me one that has had anything the matter with it, even if it is cured now! Let me have a perfectly healthy one, please!—London Punch.

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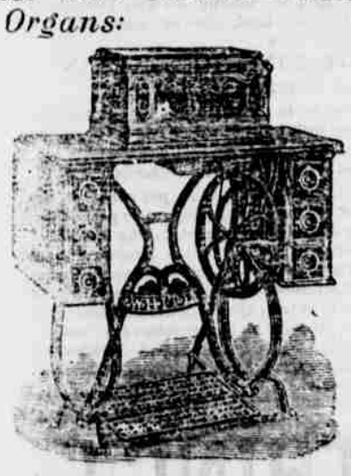

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"Do either one of you live around here?"

"Yes, I do," replied my companion.

"Been here long?"

"About 20 years."

"Well, do you know a man around here named Arnold—Ben Arnold?"

"Yes, I know a Ben Arnold."

"Tall man with very large ears and freckled face?"

"Yes."

"Mighty long legs on him?"

"Yes."

"Whistles so much like a mocking bird you can't tell the difference?"

"That's the man."

"One more question! Did he ever live in Texas?"

"Yes, he did. He came here from Texas about 10 years ago."

"Thank Heaven! I have him at last!" fervently exclaimed the old pilgrim as he rolled his eyes upward.

"Did you want to see him very particularly?" asked the man beside me.

"I should say I did! I've been searching for him for 21 long years to shoot him down! He called me a liar when I lay sick on my back in Texas, and I vowed to kill him. So I have found him at last! How far up the road is it?"

"My friend, you are too late!"

"No! Did he hear I was after him and skip out last night?"

"No. He was killed at a barn raising two hours ago. A whole big bent fell upon him, and he was mashed flat."

"You—you wouldn't deceive a poor old man like me, who has followed him 21 long years?" pleaded the pilgrim.

"No, sir."

"He's really and truly dead, is he?"

"He is, sir. He never knew what hurt him. Can we do anything for you?"

"No—nothing. My hopes have ended in ashes; the future is nothing to me. Drive right on and don't mind this poor old man who has spent so many years to find his man and then found him dead!"

And as we drove on he went back to his seat on the church steps and sat down and wept.

The Color of a Periwinkle Definitely Settled.

"Jeptha," said Mrs. Jones, looking up from a book she was reading, says the Detroit *Free Press*, "what is a periwinkle?"

"Why, Maria, don't you know?" retorted Jones in a cautious way. "I thought everybody knew what a periwinkle was."

"Y-e-s," hesitated Mrs. Jones, "I knew it was some sort of a pollywog."

"Pollywog?" roared Jones. "That's news to me."

There was a long silence, broken only by the striking of the cuckoo clock, and then Mrs. Jones asked humbly:

"Jeptha, what is a periwinkle?"

"Maria, it's a periwinkle," said Jones in a tone that admitted of no dispute. "Why do you ask?"

"Because it says in this novel 'her eyes were as blue as a periwinkle,' and I wanted to know how blue that was."

"Late that night the lights flickered in the Jones household and two seekers after knowledge met face to face in the Jones library.

"I'm looking for a periwinkle," said Mrs. Jones.

"I'm looking for the dictionary," remarked Jeptha.

Mrs. Jones had the book and presently she announced in a tone of triumph:

"Ha! Periwinkle—a small shellfish. Didn't know as much as you thought you did, Mr. Jones!"

"So! Her eyes were as blue as a shellfish! Beautiful definition, that! Gimme the book, Maria. H'm! shellfish—ah, I knew there must be something else—it's 'a little boat.'"

"Her eyes were as blue as a little boat, there's no sense in that," said Mrs. Jones. "Give me the dictionary."

"I've got it!" she exclaimed; "it's a 'gasteropodous mollusk;' that must be Latin for blue."

"Let me see that book," said Jones, and the dictionary was dropped on him again.

"Maria, you always jump at conclusions. Here you are: 'A flowering plant of the genus vinca.' The girl's eyes are all right, but why in thunder didn't he say they were china blue, or saucer blue, or sky blue, and not keep people out of bed hunting up his fool comparisons?"

"Don't swear, Jeptha," said Mrs. Jones, "if it hadn't been for that we'd never know the color of a periwinkle."

If the Tea Stalk Floats.

If the tea stalk floats in the cup it is called a "beau," and when this is seen unmarried women should stir their tea very quickly round and round and then hold the spoon upright in the center of the cup. If the "beau" is attracted to the spoon and clings to it, he will be sure to call very shortly, if not that very evening; but if the stalk goes to the side of the cup he will not come.

A Woman's Letter.

"Mary," called the husband upstairs, "why don't you come down? Haven't you finished your letter yet?"

"I finished the letter long ago."

"What keeps you, then?"

"I am writing the postscript."

"Gracious me! Have I got to mind this baby two hours longer?"—New York Press.

Didn't Care for Any.

Christiana, a little girl, who was taking supper at a neighbor's house was asked if she would have some apple sauce. "No, I thank you," said Christiana promptly, "I can get plenty of that at home."

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For Catawissa 6.10, 8.00, 11.25 a. m., 12.15, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.

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Leave Pottsville 12.30 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.21 a. m., 8.18 p. m.

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STATIONS.	NORTH. A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Northumberland	6 30	1 50	10 15	4
Cameron	6 35	...	.....	5 5
Chulasky	6 40	...	.....	5 5
Danville	6 48	2 12	10 26	6 0
Catawissa	7 05	2 25	10 39	6
Rupert	7 12	2 31	10 44	6 2
Bloomsburg	7 20	2 36	10 49	6 2
Espy	7 27	2 43	.....	6 3
Lime Ridge	7 31	2 50	.....	6 4
Willow Grove	7 38	2 54	.....	6 4
Briarcreek	7 41	.....	.....	6 5
Berwick	7 48	3 04	11 12	6 5
Beach Haven	7 54	3 10	11 18	7 0
Rick's Ferry	8 00	3 17	.....	7 0
Shickshinny	8 10	3 29	11 33	7 22
Hunlock's	8 21	3 39	.....	7 3
Nanticoke	8 26	3 46	11 49	7 39
Avondale	8 30	3 51	.....	7 4
Plymouth	8 35	3 56	11 56	7 49
Plymouth Junction	8 40	4 00	.....	7 5
Kingston	8 45	4 05	12 05	7 57
Bennett	8 49	4 08	12 06	8 0
Maltby	8 52	4 12	.....	8 0
Wyoming	8 56	4 17	12 13	8 1
West Pittston	9 01	4 22	.....	8 1
Pittston	9 08	4 30	12 22	8 2
Duryea	9 14	4 34	.....	8 2
Lackawanna	9 16	4 37	.....	8 3
Taylorville	9 25	4 45	12 35	8 4
Bellevue	9 31	4 50	.....	8 4
SCRANTON	9 35	4 55	12 43	8 5

STATIONS.	SOUTH. A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
SCRANTON	6 00	9 50	1 35	6 0
Bellevue	6 05	9 55	.....	...
Taylorville	6 10	10 00	1 45	6 1
Lackawanna	6 18	10 07	1 52	6 2
Duryea	6 22	10 10	1 55	6 2
Pittston	6 28	10 14	2 00	6 3
West Pittston	6 35	10 20	2 06	6 3
Wyoming	6 40	10 25	2 11	6 4
Maltby	6 44	10 28	.....	...
Bennett	6 48	10 32	2 19	6 5
Kingston	6 54	10 35	2 25	6 5
Plymouth Junction	6 59	10 39	2 29	...
Plymouth	7 04	10 44	2 34	7 0
Avondale	7 09	10 48	2 38	7 0
Nanticoke	7 14	10 52	2 42	7 1
Hunlock's	7 20	10 59	2 50	7 1
Shickshinny	7 31	11 09	3 01	7 2
Rick's Ferry	7 44	11 23	3 17	7 4
Beach Haven	7 54	11 32	3 25	7 5
Berwick	8 02	11 40	3 33	7 5
Briar Creek	8 09	....	3 40	...
Willow Grove	8 13	11 50	3 44	8 0
Lime Ridge	8 17	11 56	3 50	8 0
Espy	8 24	12 04	3 58	8 1
Bloomsburg	8 31	12 12	4 05	8 1
Rupert	8 37	12 18	4 12	8 2
Catawissa	8 42	12 23	4 18	8 2
Danville	8 57	12 37	4 38	8 4
Chulasky	9 03	....	4 46	...
Cameron	9 07	12 46	4 51	8 5
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 22	1 00	5 06	9 0
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

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1:55 p. m. Train 8, (Daily except Sunday,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6:30 p. m.; New York, 9:35 p. m.; Baltimore 6:45 p. m.; Washington 8:15 p. m. Parlor cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

5.25 p. m. Train 12 [Daily except Sunday] for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 10:55 p. m. Baltimore 10:40 p. m. Passenger coach to Philadelphia.

8:22 p. m.—Train 6, (Daily,) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:25 a. m.; New York 7:10 a. m. Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

1:50 a. m.—(Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 a. m., New York 9:30 a. m., Baltimore 6:20 a. m. Washington 7:30 a. m., Pullman sleeping cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

3:35 a. m.—Train 16 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Baltimore 9:13 a. m. and Washington 9:43 a. m and Pullman sleeping cars to Baltimore, Washington, and Passenger coaches to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

2:04 a. m.—Train 9 (Daily except Sunday) for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches to Rochester.

5:10 a. m.—Train 3 (Daily,) for Erie, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman palace cars and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9:56—Train 15 (Daily,) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1:35 p. m.—Train 11 (Daily except Sunday) for Kane, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Rochester.

5:30 p. m.—Train 1, (Daily except Sunday) Renovo, Elmira and intermediate stations.

9:05 p. m.—Train 21, (Daily,) for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Train 15—Leaves New York, 12:15 night, Philadelphia 4:30 a. m., Baltimore 4:45 a. m., Harrisburg, 8:10 a. m., daily arriving at Sunbury 9:56 a. m.

Train 11—Leaves Philadelphia 8:50 a. m., Washington 8:10 a. m., Baltimore 9:00 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 1:35 with Parlor car from Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 1—Leaves New York 9:00 a. m., Philadelphia 11:40 a. m., Washington 10:50 a. m., Baltimore 11:45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 5:30 p. m. with passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 21 leaves New York 2 00 p. m., Philadelphia 4:25 p. m., Washington 3:25 p. m., Baltimore 4:30 p. m. (Daily) arriving at Sunbury 9:05 p. m. Through coach from Philadelphia.

Train 9 leaves New York 6:30 p. m., Philadelphia 9:20 p. m., Washington 7:40 p. m., Baltimore 8:45 p. m., (Daily except Saturday,) arriving at Sunbury, 2:04 a. m. with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches from Washington and Baltimore.

Train 3 leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:25 p. m., Washington 10:30 p. m., Baltimore 11:30 p. m., (Daily,) arriving at Sunbury 5:10 a. m., with Pullman sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore

SUNBURY HAZLETON, & WILKESBARRE RAILROAD, AND NORTH AND WEST BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Daily except Sunday)

Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10:00 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes Barre 12.10 p. m. Hazleton 12:15 p. m., Pottsville 1.25 p. m.

Train 11 leaves Sunbury 5:35 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:26 p. m., Wilkes-Barre 7:50 p. m. Hazleton 7:54 p. m. Pottsville 9:05 p. m.

Train 8 leaves Wilkes-Barre 7:25 a. m. Pottsville 6:00 a. m., Hazleton 7:10 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 8:47 a. m., Sunbury 9:40 a. m.

Train 10 leaves Pottsville 1:50 p. m. Hazleton 3:04 p. m. Wilkes-Barre 3:12 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 4:31 p. m., Sunbury 5:15 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10.00 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 12:10 p. m.

Train 26 leaves Wilkes-Barre 5:10 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:39 p. m., Sunbury 7:30 p. m.

CHAS. E. PUGH, Gen. Manager. J. R. WOOD, Gen. Pass. Agt

BLOOMSBURG & SULLIVAN R. R

Taking effect MONDAY, NOV. 17, 1890.

STATIONS.	SOUTH. Ar. P. M.	Ar. P. M.	Ar. A. M.	NORTH. Lv. A. M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv P. M.
Bloomsburg	6 25	12 10	7 15	8 35	2 35	6 40
Main Street	6 18	12 04	7 07	8 42	2 42	6 47
Irondale	6 16	12 00	7 04	8 45	2 45	6 50
Paper Mill	6 08	11 52	6 56	8 53	2 53	6 58
Lightstreet	6 05	11 49	6 53	8 56	2 56	7 12
Orangeville	5 57	11 38	6 43	9 06	3 07	7 22
Forks	5 45	11 27	6 33	9 15	3 17	7 32
Zaner	5 42	11 24	6 30	9 20	3 20	7 34
Mill Water	5 37	11 19	6 25	9 27	3 25	7 39
Benton	5 28	11 09	6 16	9 37	3 33	7 50
Edeona	5 23	11 04	6 11	9 41	3 38	7 44
Cole's Creek	5 20	11 02	6 09	9 44	3 42	7 48
Superior	5 15	11 57	6 03	9 48	3 46	7 52
Laubach	5 12	10 54	6 00	9 53	3 50	7 57
Central	5 03	10 43	5 53	10 08	4 00	8 07
Jamison City	5 00	10 40	5 50	10 10	4 06	10
	Lv.	Lv.	Lv.	Ar.	Ar.	
	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	

THE COLUMBIAN.
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

They are Beauties! WHAT? Why, the new picture cards given with LION COFFEE.

BOTH ENDS MEAT.

This is the time of the year when people "reckon up" and look back over the years to consider what has been wrong in their business. Many find that they have been buying Bread, Cakes and Candies at the wrong place. But we have noticed that our customers continue month after month. There's a great saving by purchasing the best. You discover it before the year's out. Many dollars can be made in this way by patronizing us. If you want to save money, try it.

☞ Ice Cream, Fresh Bread and Cakes, daily.

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Bakers and Mf'g. Confectioners,
NO. 130 WEST MAIN STREET.

Eshleman & Wolf have fitted up in their store a fine exhibition of plumbing. It consists of three different styles of water closets and lavatories all complete—and in working order. The plumbing is done in a very skillful manner by an expert workman now in their employ. They have several styles of closets ranging in price from $12.00 up. They will be pleased to show them to any one interested in modern sanitary appliances.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Fifty dozen window curtains just opened on Monday—prices from 25c. to $1.50 each at W. H. Brooke & Co.

Fashionable Livery.

The well known horseman has opened a fashionable livery in connection with his boarding stable at the Exchange Hotel Stables, where fine turnouts can be obtained, single or double. He has well broken and safe saddle and driving horses for ladies, all at reasonable rates. Orders left at the Exchange Hotel will receive prompt attention. Drivers furnished when desired.

tf W. A. HARTZELL, Proprietor.

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To Farmers.

Who are in need of a good plow, land-roller, ratchet spring tooth harrow corn planter, grain drill or any farm implement will get bottom prices by calling or writing to WHITE & CONNER,
3-25-6w. Orangeville, Pa.

Many pleasures in life are due to good health and good looks. Manner's Double Extract Sarsaparilla will bring pleasures as it increases the appetite, relieves all disorders arising from bad blood such as Headache, Constipation Boils and pimples which when driven out of the system brings good looks. Manner's Double Extract Sarsaparilla can be found at all drug stores also at Moyer Bro's. tf.

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LINES,—RODS,—HOOKS,—FLIES,—REELS,—
MOUNTINGS OF ALL DISCRIPTIONS,
WHAT EVER IS WANTED FOR
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Call and see before purchasing elsewhere.
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8-4-3-m. Benton, Pa.

An only Daughter CURED OF CONSUMPTION.

When death was hourly expected, all remedies having failed, and Dr. H. James was experimenting with the herbs of Calcutta, he accidently made a preparation which cured his only child of consumption. His child is now in this country, and enjoying the best of health. He has proved to the world that consumption can be positively and permanently cured, The Doctor now gives this recipe free, only asking two 2-cent stamps to pay expenses. This herb also cures Night Sweats, Nausea at the Stomach, and will break up a fresh cold in twenty-four hours. Address CRADDOCK & CO., 1032 Race St., Philadelphia, naming this paper.

MOVINGS.

J. B. McKinney, the Singer Sewing Machine agent, will remove to Dr. J. R. Evans' building corner of Main and Jefferson streets.

Mrs. Davis has purchased the stock of Mrs. Ent, and will remove to the Robbin's building, next door to E. Jacobs & Son.

C. Girton moves in the house at Irondale where Emmanuel Hummell lived.

Emmanuel Hummell moves into his property in Bloomsburg.

John Farver moves from Irondale into town.

William Geringer moves into the house at Irondale vacated by John Farver.

W. W. Achenbach's family moves from Hughesville to Bloomsburg. He is working at the furniture factory.

Charles Hartman has moved from Seventh to East street.

F. M. Leader moves from Market street to the J. H. Maize property on Fifth street.

M. C. Crawford has moved from Sixth street to the Highmiller place on Catharine.

A. J. Williams has moved in the residence of Peter Billmeyer.

Tony Bush moved into the Wyncoop house corner of Third and Center.

John Kleckner has moved into the Eves property, Catharine street.

Eli Knorr has moved into the Wyncoop house vacated by John Kleckner.

Norman Pursel moves into his property on Market street.

Elias Furman moves into the Ohl property on Third street opposite S. Neyhards'

Mrs. Edwards moves to the sanitarium.

Mrs. Humphrey moves into the J. L. Girton property on Centre street.

D. F. Weiss has moved into a part of Mrs. S. M. Turnbach's house on East street,

J. H. Maize has moved into G. M. Lockard's house on East street.

L. M. White goes into the Brockway house on Third street.

A. M. Wintersteen has moved into half of E. V. Hartman's property on Third street.

Rev. John Donahue has moved temporarily into one of the Sanitarium buildings.

W H. Brooke moves into the Stiles property on Iron street.

George Hassert moves into the house on Fourth street vacated by W. H. Brooke.

Elmer Mears has moved into one of Mr. Waller's houses on West street.

Henry Doak moves from Lime Ridge to one of the Wyncoop houses on Third street.

Dr. Garrison has removed his residence from Peter Billmeyer's to rooms in Hartman's building.

Fred Ikeler Esq. has moved his law office to Mrs. Ents building, in the room occupied by Dr. Willits.

Dr. Willits has moved his office to rooms in Rawlings' building, vacated by Fred Ikeler.

To Horse Buyers.

A TIP THAT MAY BE USEFUL WHEN YOU ARE AT AUCTIONS.

"Let me give you a tip," said a prominent horse dealer to a prospective buyer yesterday. "When you go to a sale with the intention of picking up a bargain, read your catalogue carefully before you buy.

"Auction sales by reliable firms are honestly conducted, and they don't guarantee anything they're not reasonably sure of.

"'Kind, sound and true,' is the phrase you want to keep a special lookout for.

"Horses warranted kind and sound may have both of those qualities and yet turn out to be equine maniacs. Others guaranteed to be kind and true may be both and have the blind staggers, but a horse that is announced by a reliable firm to have all these desirable qualities is in the majority of cases all right. If you want a proof of this, go to any first-class sale and notice how the careful buyers let showy and attractive animals pass until a kind, sound and true animal appears. The price on him goes up like a rocket."

To Builders and Others.

For Shingles, Guaged Fencing, wide Barn boards, all kinds dressed lumber go to White & Conner, Orangeville, Pa. 3-25-6w.

Would you rather buy lamp-chimneys, one a week the year round, or one that lasts till some accident breaks it?

Common glass may break or not the minute you light your lamp; if not, the first draft may break it; if not, it may break from a mere whim.

Tough glass chimneys, Macbeth's "Pearl-top" or "Pearl-glass," almost never break from heat, not one in a hundred.

Where can you get it? and what does it cost?

Your dealer knows where and how much. It costs more than common glass; and may be, he thinks tough glass isn't good for his business.

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IT PAYS

To be cautious in the choice of medicines. Many are injured by trying experiments with compounds purporting to be blood-purifiers, the principal recommendation of which would seem to be their "cheapness." Being made up of worthless, though not always harmless, ingredients, they may well be "cheap;" but, in the end, they are dear. The most reliable medicines are costly, and can be retailed at moderate prices, only when the manufacturing chemist handles the raw materials in large quantities. It is economy, therefore,

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Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the valuable components of which are imported, wholesale, by the J. C. Ayer Co. from the regions where these articles are richest in medicinal properties.

"It is a wonder to me that any other than Ayer's Sarsaparilla has a show in the market. If people consulted their own interest, they would never use any other; for it is not only the best, but, on account of its concentrated strength and purity, it is the most economical."—James F. Duffy, Druggist, Washington st., Providence, R. I.

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Sarsaparilla

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Assigned Estate, S. A. Smith, E. R. Wilson Assignee.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county to make distribution of the balance in the hands of E. R. Wilson Assignee, of said estate, to and among the parties entitled thereto, as shown by his first and final account will sit to perform the duties of his appointment at his office in the Town of Bloomsburg, upon Tuesday the 12th day of April, 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where all persons must present their claims or be forever debarred from a share of said fund.

Wm. CHRISMAN, Auditor.
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JURORS FOR MAY TERM 1892.

GRAND JURORS.

Berwick—R. S. Bowman, John G. Jacoby, Alexander Linden,
Bloom—Charles Kunkle.
Briarcreek—Thomas E. Brittain.
Catawissa—Charles Yeager.
Centralia—George James.
Conyngham—Lloyd Baker, John Flynn.
Fishingcreek—William Wilson, Hiram Markle.
Franklin—William H. Artley.
Greenwood—L. P. Yeager, George Heacock.
Hemlock—S. W. Girton, John Kistler.
Jackson—Jefferson Fritz.
Locust—Amzie Kline.
Mifflin—Samuel Knight.
Orange—William H. Englehart.
Sugarloaf—S. M. Laubach, I. B. Gibbons, John C. Seward.

TRAVERSE JURORS—FIRST WEEK.

Benton—Charles Gibbons.
Berwick—C. G. Beishline.
Bloom—Isaiah Pursel, C. H. Kline, George Geringer, J. Reimer, Albert Kinney, Thomas Shaffer, C. A. Cox, H. F. Deiterich, W. E. Knorr, John B. Earhart.
Briarcreek—John E. Klinetob.
Catawissa—Reuben orange, John Bates, Wm. Witmer.
Centralia—Andrew Cain, Robert Farrel.
Centre—Elisha Ringrose, F. H. Higenbuch.
Conyngham—James Grant, Charles Weiderman
Fishingcreek—I. W. Edgar, Emmanuel Wenner.
Locust—Joshua Woomer.
Main—G. W. Deaner.
Montour—John N Gorden.
Orange—Edward McHenry, Miles A. Williams, Charles Turner.
Pine—W. S. Hess.
Scott—James Patterson, Stephen Pettit. C. B. Ent, Lloyd Sterling.
Sugarloaf—L. B. Howell.

TRAVERSE JURORS—SECOND WEEK.

Benton—William M. Kline, Boyd McHenry, Isaac Gibbons.
Berwick—John B. Lockard, Edward A. Wilson, W. D. Quackenbach, D B. Rhinard, James Hayman, J. Harvey Hess, Wilson C. Kisner, J. M. Seesholtz, Edward Shenke.
Bloom—Horace Supplee, Winthrop Bryfogle, Newton Barton, David Jones, J. C. Traub, P. H. Freeze, Philip Crawford.
Catawissa—Geo. L. Murray, William Zimmerman, M. V. B. Kline.
Centralia—John W. Fortner.
Conyngham—Levi W. Sanger.
Franklin—J. R. Fetterman,
Greenwood—John Thomas.
Locust—William Adams, L. H. Daniels, Adam Karig, Charles Beaver.
Madison—Charles H. Fruit.
Mifflin—Charles Wolf.
Orange—James C. Hutchison.
Roaringcreek—George F. Craig.
Pine—Elijah Shoemaker.
Scott—P. W. Mellick.

THE CELEBRATED PACING STALLION

Frank M. standard and registered in the Standard Pacing horse Breeder's Co., Thomas C. Parsons, Registerer, Cleveland, Ohio. Pedigree Frank M. No. 60, record 2:27¼ trial 2:23½ sired by Charle Brister, No. 68, record 2:28 trial 2:24, by Jim Brister No. 58, dam by Blue Bull, No.36, second dam by Legal Tender, record 2:28.

Discription: Frank M. is a strawberry Roan 16 hands high, in good working order, weighs 1150 lbs., best of feet and limbs, uncommon bone and muscle, and for speed and endurance is equal to any Stallion in the State.

Frank M. has sired the following noted horses: Bob Ingersoll 2.28¾. owned by a Mr. Duffy of Scranton, Maggie Mitchell, formerly Mollie Hadden, record 2:27¾, owned by Mr. Mitchell of Oswego, N. Y.; John C, record 2:31½ owned by S. A. Gorly manager of the Apollo Rolling Mills; Mollie C. trotter owned by John Clark 1816 Wharton St. Pittsburg, Pa. They are the only colts heard from sired by Frank M. in the west. Mollie C, was started 14 times, was second 12 times and was 3 once and 4 once. The owner of John C. says he has seen him pace halves in one nine (1:09) both John C. and Mollie C. have not been handled for speed but a short time. This proves beyond a doubt that Frank M. is a sure sire of very fast speed.

Frank M. will make the season of 1892 at the following named places beginning April 4th; Shickshinny at noon until 2 p. m.; at Berwick Monday night of the 4th until about 9 a. m. of the 5th at the St. Charles Hotel; at Bloomsburg Tuesday noon of the 5th until Wednesday about 4 p. m. at C. E. Winner's barn, and every two weeks from the above dates during the season. Terms $50 to insure.

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Bring the measure of your room with you.

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BEATTY PIANOS $140, ORGANS $33. want agents. Cat'g Free. Dan'l F. Beatty Washington, N. J. 3-25-4t.

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For sale by MOYER BRO'S, Bloomsburg, Pa.
2-19-3mo.

EAST BENTON.

Miss Laura Wenner of Bender town received a full and complete assortment of millinery goods. Call on her and get first class outfits at bottom prices.

The recent snows drifted at a terrible rate. The roads were impassable in many places until opened.

The next step in the order of scholastic progression will be the opening of the public schools thirteen months in a year.

Week ago last Wednesday a wayfaring deer—large buck strolled across the ridges at this place; but a little beyond he met with a mishap that cost his skin.

Judge Krickbaum fell on the barn cellar steps and in consequence is confined to the house at present.

Last week the snow was sent in a hurry during the thaw.

The flitting season has again arrived and many changes are taking place.

The silver question agitates a number of our people. The farmers appear to favor free coinage. At all events, they all seem to want more silver.

If the 70 cent dollar is an honest dollar now, why would it not be under free coinage?

Why should there be an effort to obtain a standard dollar for the world, when the conditions of nations are as different and varied as their several forms of government. It is only a step toward a standard of wages and a standard of prices of agricultural products Let our own government coin its own money at its own standard regardless of other nations as we are not exchanging money coins but bills of credit.

The farmers will play a trick or two before many years.

Wall paper and window curtains at W. H. Brooke & Co.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between E. Schweppenheiser and J. E. Snyder both of Mifflin township was dissolved on the 27th day of March 1892 by mutual consent. All persons having claims against said firm, and all persons indebted to said firm will settle the same with J. E. Snyder. E. Schweppenheiser will continue the business.

E. SCHWEPPENHEISER.
J. E. SNYDER. 4-1-3t.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF VALUABLE—
REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned administrator of Alem Whitmoyer, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises in Centre township, in said County, on

SATURDAY. APRIL 23rd, 1892.

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day the following described real estate to wit:

A certain tract of land situate in the township of Centre, bounded on the north by land of Daniel Whitmoyer, on the east by land of John Stiner estate, now Ranslow Fiester, on the south by lands of George Ruckle and on the west by land of George Ruckle, containing about 16 acres of land, more or less. The improvements are a

DWELLING-HOUSE, BARN

and other out buildings.

The land is in a fair state of cultivation. There are fruit trees of choice varieties on the premises. The property is situated within convenient access to churches, schools and store.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.—Ten per cent., of one fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property. The balance of the one-fourth at confirmation absolute of said sale. The other three fourths to be paid on one year with interest from confirmation nisi. Deed to be made at the expense of the purchaser. All personal property on the premises reserved.

HERRING, Atty. ELIAS YOUNG,
Administrator of Alem Whitmoyer, deceased.
4-1-4t.

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Call and examine and see for yourselves that

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